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Woodstock/Greenwood appeal dump decision Wednesday in Augusta

The towns of Woodstock and Greenwood will go before the Board of Environmental Protection next Wednesday in Augusta to appeal that board's January decision to deny a permit for the towns' joint transfer station.

The transfer station, off Route 26 in Locke Mills, has been operating since the fall. The board's decision in January was that the dump was unsatisfactory and would have to be closed.

With the help of State Senator Don Twitchell (D-Norway) and the towns' attorney, the towns appealed the decision last month, presenting evidence that the transfer station could be made to conform to the Department of Environmental Protection's regulations and abutter's concerns.

Following the presentation of their request for an appeal, a summer resident of Greenwood—who lives in New Jersey—presented his own evidence, according to a DEP staffer, outlining his concerns with having the transfer station abutting his property.

Woodstock Selectman Frank Bean is looking forward to the appeal hearing next week. "We've got our hearing and we're going to go to bat with it."

Aside from the Woodstock and Greenwood selectmen, Sen. Twitchell is also expected to be at the hearing. And, said Selectman Bean, "I know there's going to be some carloads of people from here to go to see what goes on there."

What went on at the Jan. 23 hearing was that the board turned down the permit request by a 4-2 vote. There are normally 10 members on the board, but currently only nine seats are filled. Still, there could be three extra votes this time around if all nine members show up.

TAP GROUP AT EBS/CPS COMPILED RECIPE BOOK

Yummy, yummy! Do you have an interesting recipe (or more than one) that you'd like to share? The Teacher and Parent group of Ethel Bisbee and Crescent Park Schools is compiling a cookbook and welcomes your help. Exciting plans are being made by the Cookbook Committee: Dee Patterson, Vicki Myers, Karen Paul, Vicki Rackliffe, Audrey Brooke and Mary McVey.

A cover design has been chosen, and fifth graders are designing the divider pages. Included in the cookbook will be the following categories: 1) Appetizers, pickles, radishes; 2) Soups, salads, vegetables; 3) Main dishes; 4) Breads, rolls, pastries; 5) Cakes, cookies, desserts; 6) Candy, jelly, preserves; 7) Nutritious snacks; and 8) Recipes from a Child's Point of View (written by first graders).

A few recipes have been collected; however, many more recipes are needed to reach the 250 goal. Your contributions would help. You may get a recipe form from the school or send in your



GETTING READY FOR EASTER: Sara Wight, of Newry, took her pet rabbit Windsor out for some sun last week. This Sunday they'll be hunting Easter eggs.

BETHEL SENIOR CITIZENS TO MEET APRIL 10

The Seniors Club will meet Wednesday, April 10, at the Masonic Hall, Chapman Street, Bethel. Chris Chapman, a Senior Boy Scout, will host the dinner and provide a program. Chris is working for the highest award in Scouts—the "Eagle Badge", so plan to attend and help this young man attain this honor. Dinner will be served at 11:45 a.m. with the business meeting to follow. A donation for Chris will be taken at the tables.

recipe on a card with your name and address. Advertising space will be sold to local merchants and interested groups.

The Community Cookbook should be for sale by late summer; profits will be used to send students on field trips and for a school camera. Anyone interested in helping with this worthwhile project please contact Karen Jordan Paul at 836-2890 or any committee member.

SELECTMEN POSTPONE MEETING

The regular Monday night meeting of the Bethel Board of Selectmen has been postponed until tonight (Wednesday).

ART GALLERY DISPLAY FEATURES MONOPRINTS

The works of Boston, Cornelia McSheehy, are on display at the Owen Art Gallery, Gould Academy, March 29 to April 27.

The exhibition consists of 15 monoprints and Ms. McSheehy's work has been categorized as Expressionistic by some, Surrealistic by others and some what funky by the rest of the world of art critics. Monoprints, frequently referred to as "a painter's medium" are created by painting on a surface which is printed one while the ink or paint is still fresh, yielding an image that cannot be duplicated exactly a second time. Thus the term "monoprint," mono meaning one.

Ms. McSheehy's work has been exhibited nationally and internationally in galleries, museums and universities. Currently she is Associate Professor of Printmaking at the Rhode Island School of Design in Providence, a position she has held for eight years.

The Owen Art Gallery is open on Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Saturdays and Sundays by appointment. The public is cordially invited to attend.

April fools take to field and stream with pole, paddle, paw

Twenty-four otherwise sane people strapped on their cross-country skis Saturday afternoon for the start of the sixth annual Pole, Paddle and Paw race, sponsored by the Sunday River Ski Touring Center.

An annual April Fool's joke, the race—most of the contestants are hardcore competitors and consider it a race rather than mere merriment—is usually held in a mixture of snow and ice. This year, however, the joke was on the organizers, as there wasn't a bit of snow to be seen until the skiers got into the woods. (Mother Nature continued the joke by dumping five inches of snow on the area Sunday night, a day late.)

Despite the lack of cooperation from the weather, the racers were able to ski their way from the Sunday River Inn to the "Artist's Bridge," where they embarked in canoes for a fast trip down the rushing Sunday River. With just one capsize, the fleet hit shore a quarter-mile below the inn and laced on their snowshoes for an uphill trek back to the front lawn, where onlookers were sipping beer in the warm sun, waiting for the exhausted racers to complete the course.

First across the line was Tom Taylor, in 41 minutes and 4 seconds. He was followed immediately by his teammate, Dave Roberts, who finished in 41:10. Their combined finishing time of 82:14 put them comfortably ahead of second-place finishers Eric Hastings and Rodger Smith, whose combined time was 86:58.

The order of finish reversed last year's result, which had Hastings and Smith first and Roberts and Taylor second.

The finishers were as follows:
Women's Division: Nancy Babcock and Lyne Shea, 102:12; Kim Moody and Jane Waddle, 110:19; Betsey Winsor and Cindy Ascani, 134:27.

Mixed Division: Robert Bryan and Tulle Frazer, 103:12; Jeff Clifford and Denise McDonald, 111:39; Paul Marcolini and Nancy Ulrich, 117:53; Steve Wight and Sue Schaller, 128:36.

Men's Division: Dave Roberts and Tom Taylor, 82:14; Eric Hastings and Rodger Smith, 86:58; Kirk Siegel and Dave Walker, 92:52; Tim Carter and Mike Caldwell, 95:27; Jeff Parsons and Lorenzo Baker, 100:87.

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OUT OF THE WOODS, Roger Smith crosses Sunday River Road on his way to the finish of the sixth annual Pole, Paddle and Paw Race.

Judson accepts town manager post in Lincoln

Former Bethel town manager William Judson has accepted a similar position in Lincoln. In the Bethel position from March of 1982 until November of last year, he will assume his duties in the Penobscot County town on Monday, April 8.

Since last November, Mr. Judson has been development officer for Franklin County. Mr. Judson says he will be glad to be able to return to the hands-on day-to-day functions of public administration.

Lincoln with a population of 5,100 has a council-manager form of government, with seven members on the town council. Mr. Judson says the salary will be in the mid-20s plus perquisites.

The position of Bethel town manager was Mr. Judson's first job after retiring from 20 years in the Navy. He had enlisted as a seaman and retired as a lieutenant commander. Along the way, he earned an MA in public administration from Golden Gate University. His BA is from Rutgers University.

Mr. Judson, his wife Terri, and two children, Bill and Ada, have a home on the Osgood Road, Middle Intervale. Plans have the family remaining in Bethel until the completion of the current school year. The Judsons value greatly the friendships and associations they have made in the area and plan to retain their ties to Bethel.

Andover officials consider new truck; might cost \$62,000

In the wake of the most recent mishap with the town's snowplowing truck—a 1978 International 1700—officials are discussing purchasing a replacement. They estimate the cost at \$50,000 to \$62,000.

The truck suffered a bent frame recently when the road commissioner hit a buried hunk of ice while plowing.

It's not the first time the truck has suffered major damage. Selectman Jane Rich says the town has paid out \$14,000 in repairs during the seven years it has owned the truck, the original cost of which was \$14,000.

Should the Budget Committee and the Board of Selectmen decide to go with a new truck, a special town meeting will have to be called. Mrs. Rich said this would likely be in the first week of May, in order to guarantee delivery by fall. "Something will have to be done about obtaining a plow truck before next fall," she said.

The town has \$13,000 in its new equipment account. The remainder would have to be appropriated at the special town meeting.

In the meanwhile, the damaged truck will be repaired and used for sanding. Budget Committee members Marshall Miesner and Wayne Delano met with the selectmen last night (Tuesday) and decided to invest in the repairs, estimated at \$2,500. The insurance on the truck will pay for all but \$500 of the cost.

In other matters, the Board of Selectmen recently turned over to Key Bank to manage. The money came from a settlement last year on back taxes owed by the satellite station. Mrs. Rich said Key Bank was chosen over Maine National and Casco Northern because their investment policies seemed more conservative and their fees are lower. The interest on the money is expected to produce about \$60,000 annually, which money will be divided up 75-25, the larger share being used to reduce

M.S.A.D. 44 Directors' meeting

The SAD 44 Board of Directors met in special session at the Telstar Regional High School on Monday evening of this week.

The board approved an adult education budget for fiscal year 1986 of \$48,692. An amount of \$15,971 will be requested at the May 29 district meeting to fund the local share of the program's cost.

The directors approved the Shrine Circus in Lewiston on April 13 as an outing for all SAD 44 fourth graders. A request by the Oxford County Shriners for the use of two district school buses to transport the children was approved by the directors.

The warrant for the annual district budget meeting on Wednesday, May 29 was approved and signed by the directors.

Daniel Cummings was appointed middle school assistant softball coach for the current school year. Marlene Dunn and Deborah Roy were approved.

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the tax rate and the smaller portion being re-invested.

Renovations of town hall, approved at the annual town meeting, have begun, with Selectman Laura Hutchins supervising the work. The voting room has been painted and the selectmen are seeking bids on painting the exterior of the building, work to be completed in the summer.

The selectmen are seeking someone to serve as constable during the summer months. The town will send the prospective constable to Criminal Justice Academy in Waterville for training. Anyone interested should contact the selectmen.

Likewise, anyone with a tree that is becoming a hazard should contact the selectmen, since they are planning a tree-cutting party, in which state, CMP and town forces will prune or cut down trees that are a danger to passersby, cars or cables.

The dump has been locked again, with a new lock. Dump hours will be strictly enforced, the selectmen decided last night. The hours are: Tuesday, 1-4 p.m.; Thursday, 1-4 p.m.; Saturday, 11 a.m.-3 p.m.; Sunday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

SNOW TWISTERS TO MEET
Bethel Snow Twisters will meet Tuesday, April 9, at 7 p.m. at the Casco Bank community room. All bills for trail grooming should be turned in at this meeting.

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Guest Editorial

The best result of conference would be community action

The Oxford County Conference III: Abuse and Neglect within the Family, was held last Saturday at Telstar High School, giving us cause for reflection on several matters. First off, what constitutes a successful conference? Would it be the fact that over 100 people gave up a sunny spring Saturday to confront some fairly unsavory issues? Would it be the fact that this conference brought together many people who, as teachers, police personnel, agency workers, clergy, health professionals, legislators, school administrators, parents and neighbors must deal with the consequences of abuse and neglect of children, teenagers, adults and the elderly?

Would it be that the event ran smoothly, or that the keynote speech by Human Services Commissioner Mike Petit and the individual presentations were of exceptional quality? Or that our area added to its reputation as a center of innovative educational activities? Or even, that the CADET group earned over \$200 toward Project Graduation by catering the lunch?

Actually, it was all these things and more. Individuals attending certainly used the conference to expand their awareness of abuse and neglect issues. But, more significantly, the exchange of names and phone numbers was a frequent occurrence—the establishment of crucial networks within our county, and with human service personnel.

The message from the Oxford County Conference regarding the abuse and neglect issues may be summarized as follows: A great deal has been done legislatively and procedurally during the past few years to improve the reporting and handling of abuse and neglect cases. Our state and our county have responded to the crisis, and increased funding for caseworkers is currently being sought in Augusta.

The real key is certainly prevention: At the Conference, the universal appeal was for a community response—support for programs of daycare, parenting training, family support teams, youth activities. And for individual responses—more families willing to enter the fosterparent program, more adults willing to be role models, more neighbors who will help a young single parent, a troubled adolescent, or a frail elderly person.

Above all, a successful conference should lead to action. Our community is fortunate to have a Family Support Team based at the Bethel Area Health Center. Why not contact the Health Center today to find out how you could help?

Cathy S-C. Newell

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

On behalf of the graphic arts students at Telstar, I want to thank you for making sure we saw the printing of The Citizen before its conversion to the present method of production.

Also I want to thank you for all the paper you contributed to the graphic arts program. The availability of the many different types of papers gives the students an exposure they might not otherwise have had.

Again I thank you for your concern and interest in the graphic arts program at Telstar. Support such as this can only improve the quality of the program. Congratulations on the successful conversion of the printing of The Citizen.

Sincerely,

David C. Tripp
Graphic Arts Dept.
Telstar Regional High School

To Bethel Voters:

This is to inform the voters of Bethel that I shall not be a candidate for reelection to the SAD 44 Board of Directors.

My six years on the Board have been a rewarding experience, and I urge citizens concerned with getting the most from our education tax dollars to consider this service.

Let us hope we will have a choice in June for effective representation.

Sincerely,

Ruth Feeney

To the Editor:

We like the new, expanded edition of The Bethel Citizen very much, with the new, expanded format. We miss Virginia Walker's interesting columns about the doings of folks in Bethel. We hope she has not given up her weekly column.

As summer residents on Grover Hill, we like to keep in touch year-round with Beautiful Bethel.

Sincerely,

John W. Conzelman
Palm Springs, Calif.

Virginia Walker has indeed retired from her writing chores and we are in the process of trying to find someone who would enjoy writing The Bethel column. Any volunteers? Editor

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DISCUSSING the problem of battered women, participants in the conference discovered that the problem is widespread. Leading the discussion were, from left, Joan Trapp Wiese, Lois Lindsay and Jonathan Brown.

100 attend Oxford County Conference at Telstar H.S.

The Oxford County Conference III: Abuse and Neglect within the Family was held on Saturday, March 30 at Telstar Regional High School with over 100 persons attending. Maine Department of Human Services Commissioner Michael Petit was the keynote speaker. Mr. Petit's remarks included an outline of recent reforms in the handling of child abuse cases by his department and in the courts as well as a description of legislation pending in the current legislative session. He made a strong plea for personal involvement through more participation in the foster home program, and through community efforts to develop programs which support programs.

Workshops during the morning session were presented on Battered Adults, Elder Abuse, Child Abuse, and Abuse and the Adolescent, with participants attending two of the four offerings. Presenters included Jonathan Brown of the Crisis and Counseling Center in Augusta, Lois Lindsay of South Paris, and Jackie Wiese of Bethel on Battered Adults; Natalie Dunlap of Bureau of Maine's Elderly, Katherine Valcourt of Legal Services for the Elderly and Craig Norton of the Department of Human

Services on Elder Abuse; Lorna Pendleton of the Oxford County Child Abuse and Neglect Council on Child Abuse; and Peter Wigley and John Coffin of the Department of Human Services on Abuse and the Adolescent.

Lunch was served by the CADET committee as a fund-raising project. The afternoon panel discussion, "Building Resources in Oxford County" was moderated by Oxford County District Attorney Janet Mills, with Ray Duchette of the Department of Human Services, Dr. Steve Bauer of Norway's Child Health Center, Michael Cohen of Tri-County Mental Health Services, Anita St. Onge, an attorney formerly with the Attorney General's staff now in private practice, Shirley Powell of Bethel's Family Support Team, DeWaine Craig, Superintendent of Schools of SAD 44, and State Senator Beverly Bustin of the Human Resources Committee as panelists.

Among those attending the conference were Oxford County Sheriff Alton Howe, State Representatives Francis Perry of Mexico, William Lawrence of Parsonsfield, and Jeff Mills of Bethel, Oxford County Commissioner Norman Ferguson of Hanover.

Battering: the unreported crime

Although one doesn't read much about it in newspaper reports on police actions or court cases, battering of adults (usually a man battering a woman) is apparently a very ordinary event.

At a seminar on the subject at the Oxford County Conference on Abuse and Neglect within the Family last Saturday at Telstar, all the members of the audience said they knew at least one person who had been battered.

Psychologist Jonathan Brown, of Augusta, who deals with the batterers as well as with the battered, pointed out that of 4.1 million crimes over the decade involving people who knew one another, 57 percent of those relationships were between spouses or between ex-spouses.

Mr. Brown made it very clear that hitting one's spouse is not some wayward expression of affection. It's a crime. "When you punch your spouse in the face, you're an offender," he said.

And he was happy that the law was written that way, because his experience showed that counseling is of dubious use with offenders, whereas the fear of arrest might change antisocial behavior patterns.

"Violent men have a great deal of difficulty expressing feelings except by punching someone out," he said. Additionally, those men who batter their wives or girlfriends regard people as objects to be owned and controlled, he said.

This ownership of another human being is very clear when analyzing the women who come to shelters to escape a battering husband. Seventy-five percent of them don't have driver's licenses. "In a rural state like Maine, that's like placing yourself in bondage to someone else," he said.

Lois Lindsay, of South Paris, herself a former battered wife, told the seminar that once battering becomes part of a relationship, it is there to stay, with the assault allowing enough emotional steam to escape to keep the relationship going.

After beating her, she recalled, her husband would be apologetic. "He's contrite and says he won't do it again, and she believes him because she has to for her own sake," explained Ms. Lindsay.

The woman, once she has accepted the syndrome, also plays a role. "You hear people say, 'She asked for it,' and maybe she did, in order to relieve the tension."

While many women will complain about being beaten by husbands and boyfriends, few will get themselves out

of the relationship, the seminar leaders pointed out. Eighty percent of the battering couples who split up get back together again.

Ms. Lindsay suggested that friends of battered women can help by not being sympathetic listeners to stories about battering. Tell the woman if she doesn't like it, leave, was her advice.

She suggested that for a battered woman to seek help from a church was usually a guarantee to prolong the situation. "A lot of fundamentalist religions believe the man should rule with an iron fist," she said. The best ways of stopping the battering, she advised, were to go to a shelter (there's one in Auburn) or get a court order ordering the offender to stay away from the victim. District courts can issue these orders 24 hours a day, and violation of it by an offender results in a contempt of court citation.

Bethel counselor Joan Trapp Wiese pointed out that battering is just one form of behavior by which spouses abuse one another. Neglect and indifference are other common forms of abuse, she said.

When it comes to punishment, aside from hitting, spouses will also punish by gaining weight, drinking, having an affair, or withholding emotional support, she said.

The various forms of abusive behavior are normal, she pointed out. "It depends on the degree to which we do it."

Often, violence is the outcome if a relationship continues to deteriorate. "Violence has to start somewhere, and it starts with things like these," she said. Sometime, she continued, the non-physical forms of abuse are as difficult to put up with as the physical. She recalled patients of hers who would say, "I would rather that he hit me than treat me as he does." She recommended learning to communicate as a solution to a worsening relationship.

Mr. Brown said the best therapy for offenders is to get them to build other relationships with friends, instead of relying entirely on a spouse for emotional support. Because of this, he said, group therapy is much better than individual counselling in treating violent men.

All the conferees particularly were alarmed by what they saw as a rising incidence of battering among teenage couples. They blamed everything from home environment to TV shows to punk dress styles. "It's a learned behavior," the Bethel Area Health Center's Shirley Powell summed up.

Unitarians schedule Easter worship service

The Unitarian Universalist Church of Bryant Pond will hold an Easter Worship Service April 7, at 9 a.m.

Steve Cook, a second-year student at Bangor Theological Seminary will lead the service.

Music will be by Frank Fisk, Michelle Cummings and Mercedes Brent. Refreshments and an Easter Egg hunt will follow the service. Contributions of memorial flowers, refreshments and egg hunt goodies are welcomed.

Edie and Don Eddy will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary this weekend. They were married on the day before Easter, 50 years ago.

Driving program offered for older drivers

"55 Alive/Mature Driving," an innovative, classroom driver retraining program designed to help older persons improve their driving skills, is being offered on April 9 and 16, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., at the Moses Mason House, Bethel. It is sponsored by the SAD 44 Adult and Community Education office.

Developed by the American Association of Retired Persons, "55 Alive/Mature Driving" is the first comprehensive driver retraining course geared to the specific needs of older motorists.

The course material covers the effects of aging and medications on driving, basic driving rules, license renewal, local traffic hazards, adverse road conditions, energy saving, and accident prevention measures.

Research shows that older drivers are involved in more accidents than their middle-aged counterparts when the record is based on actual miles driven. The physical changes of aging create difficulties for many older drivers when yielding the right-of-way, backing, turning, changing lanes, and entering and leaving expressways.

Research also indicates, however, that older persons can improve their driving abilities through additional training, attention, and practice, enabling them to maintain their driving licenses longer while driving safer. This is the ultimate goal of "55 Alive/Mature Driving."

Persons 55 years of age or older are eligible to participate in the program and may even qualify to become instructors. The course fee is \$7. Call SAD 44 Adult and Community Education, 824-2780 to enroll.

WOODSTOCK HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Here are some quotes appropriate to the religious nature of this season of the year:

"Christian faith is a grand cathedral, with divinely pictured windows. Standing without, you see no glory, nor can possibly imagine any; standing within, every ray of light reveals a harmony of unspeakable splendors."

Nathaniel Hawthorne

It seems to us this quote applies to any organization, not just a church, for one must be inside it to appreciate it. Perhaps this includes historical societies as well. Also consider the following excerpt from a very famous patriotic-religious poem. It helps remind us of our obligations:

Recessional
God of our fathers, known of old,
Lord of our far-flung battle-line,
Beneath whose awful Hand we hold
Dominion over palm and pine—
Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet,
Lest we forget—lest we forget!

The tumult and the shouting dies;
The captains and the kings depart;
Still stands Thine ancient sacrifice,
An humble and a contrite heart.

Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet,
Lest we forget—lest we forget!

The next society meeting will feature an evening of fun activities, planned by the entertainment committee.

Apple users form group

The Apple-Users Group for the Bethel area held an organizational session last Tuesday at Telstar Regional High School. The group, which has been meeting weekly as a class under the auspices of the SAD 44 Adult and Community Education Program, decided to form a users-group as an affiliate of the Southern Maine Apple Users Group, and to hold monthly meetings on the first Wednesday of each month, starting on May 1. The meetings will be held at Telstar, at 7 p.m.

Jim Chandler will contact the Southern Maine Apple Users Group regarding access to the library of public domain software maintained by the group. It was decided that the program for the May meeting will be Educational Applications of the Apple, with topics suggested for the next few meetings being Small Business Applications, and Care and Maintenance of a Personal Computer.

Anyone interested in being placed on the mailing list for the Bethel Area Apple-Users Group should contact the Adult and Community Education office, 824-2780. Meetings will normally include a program, a sharing session, and the opportunity to copy public domain software.

The Lyon's apple orchard store on Route 2 is for sale. But Mrs. Herbert Lyon says the family's home-grown apples will still be available next fall...somewhere.

Gould college acceptances

Two seniors and a 1984 graduate of Gould Academy have been accepted for fall enrollment in college.

Martin J. Grohman, son of Joann S. Grohman, Dixfield, and Merrill Grohman, Scarborough, has been accepted at Clarkson University, in Potsdam, N.Y., to study chemistry. Laura Yaffee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Yaffee, Madison, Wisc., has been accepted at Earlham College, in Richmond, Ind., in liberal arts.

Charles Monks, son of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Monks, Andover, Mass., a graduate of Gould last spring who delayed his college entrance for a year, has been accepted at Lake Forest College, located in Lake Forest, Ill., for liberal arts studies.

Gould announces spring sports lineup

Athletic Director Susan Mellett last week announced the spring schedule for the Gould Academy Huskies.

MEN'S VARSITY LACROSSE: Will Graham and Peter Rackliffe, coaches. April 6, Bridgton Academy; April 20, Hyde School; April 27, at Kents Hill School; May 4, at Hyde School; May 8, at Hebron Academy; May 11, Kents Hill School; May 13, Brunswick High School; May 15, Waynflete; May 18, at Holderness.

MEN'S J.V. LACROSSE: Kirk Siegel, coach. April 17, Hebron Academy; April 20, Hyde School; April 27, at Kents Hill School; May 4, at Hyde School; May 8, at Hebron Academy; May 11, Kents Hill School; May 13, Brunswick High School; May 15, Waynflete; May 22, Holderness School.

WOMEN'S VARSITY LACROSSE: Sue Mellett, coach. April 17, at Berwick Academy; April 20, at Bowdoin College JV's; April 24, Proctor Academy; April 29, at Bates College JV's; May 1, at Waynflete; May 6, at Kents Hill School; May 8, Hebron Academy; May 11, Berwick Academy; May 15, Waynflete; May 18, at Holderness School; May 25, Kents Hill School.

WOMEN'S J.V. LACROSSE: Sue Mellett, coach. April 13, at Berwick Academy; April 17, at Hebron Academy; April 24, Proctor Academy; April 29, at St. Doms High School; May 11, at Waynflete School; May 8, Hebron Academy; May 11, Berwick Academy; May 15, Waynflete.

WOMEN'S VARSITY SOFTBALL: Dick Dohrmann and Charles Newell, coaches. April 17, at Hebron Academy; April 20, Greater Portland High School; April 24, Hebron Academy; April 26, Telstar Regional High School; April 27, at Kents Hill School; May 1, Fryeburg Academy; May 3, at North Yarmouth Academy; May 6, Rangeley High School; May 8, Buckfield High School; May 11, Kents Hill School; May 13, at Telstar Regional High School; May 15, St. Doms; May 17, at Fryeburg Academy; May 20, North Yarmouth Academy; May 22, at Rangeley High School; May 24, at Buckfield High School.

MEN'S VARSITY TENNIS: Robert Jensen, coach. April 6, Hebron Academy; April 8, Berlin High School; April 10, Bridgton Academy; April 13, White Mountain School; April 20, Hyde School; April 24, at Fryeburg Academy; April 27, at Kents Hill School; May 1, North Yarmouth Academy; May 4, at Hyde School; May 8, at Hebron Academy; May 11, Kents Hill School; May 15, North Yarmouth Academy; May 20, at Fryeburg Academy; May 22, at Holderness School.

WOMEN'S VARSITY TENNIS: Tammi Link, coach. April 6, Berlin High School; April 10, at Berlin High School; April 13, at Hebron Academy; April 20, Hyde School; April 22, Hebron Academy; April 24, Fryeburg Academy; April 27, at Kents Hill School; May 1, at North Yarmouth Academy; May 4, at Hyde School; May 8, North Yarmouth Academy; May 11, Kents Hill School; May 20, at Fryeburg Academy; May 22, Holderness School.

J.V. TENNIS: Gary Hill, coach. April 17, Hebron Academy; April 24, at Rumford High School; April 25, at White Mountain School; April 27, at Kents Hill School; May 1, at Waynflete School; May 3, North Yarmouth Academy; May 8, at Hebron Academy; May 11, Kents Hill School; May 20, at North Yarmouth Academy; April 22, at Waynflete School.

CYCLING: Harry Dresser and Lorenzo Baker, coaches. The cycling team schedule has not yet been set.

EASTER SUNRISE SERVICES

AT SUNDAY RIVER SKIWAY

On the summit of Locke Mountain at Sunday River Ski Resort, Reverend Norman Rust will perform Easter Sunrise Services beginning at 7 a.m. The Locke Mountain triple chairlift will operate at 6:30 a.m. Easter morning, April 7, to take the public to the summit. Return rides will be available for non-skiers. A hearty Maine breakfast will immediately follow the service at the Barker Mountain Lodge and kids of all ages will enjoy the Easter egg hunt.

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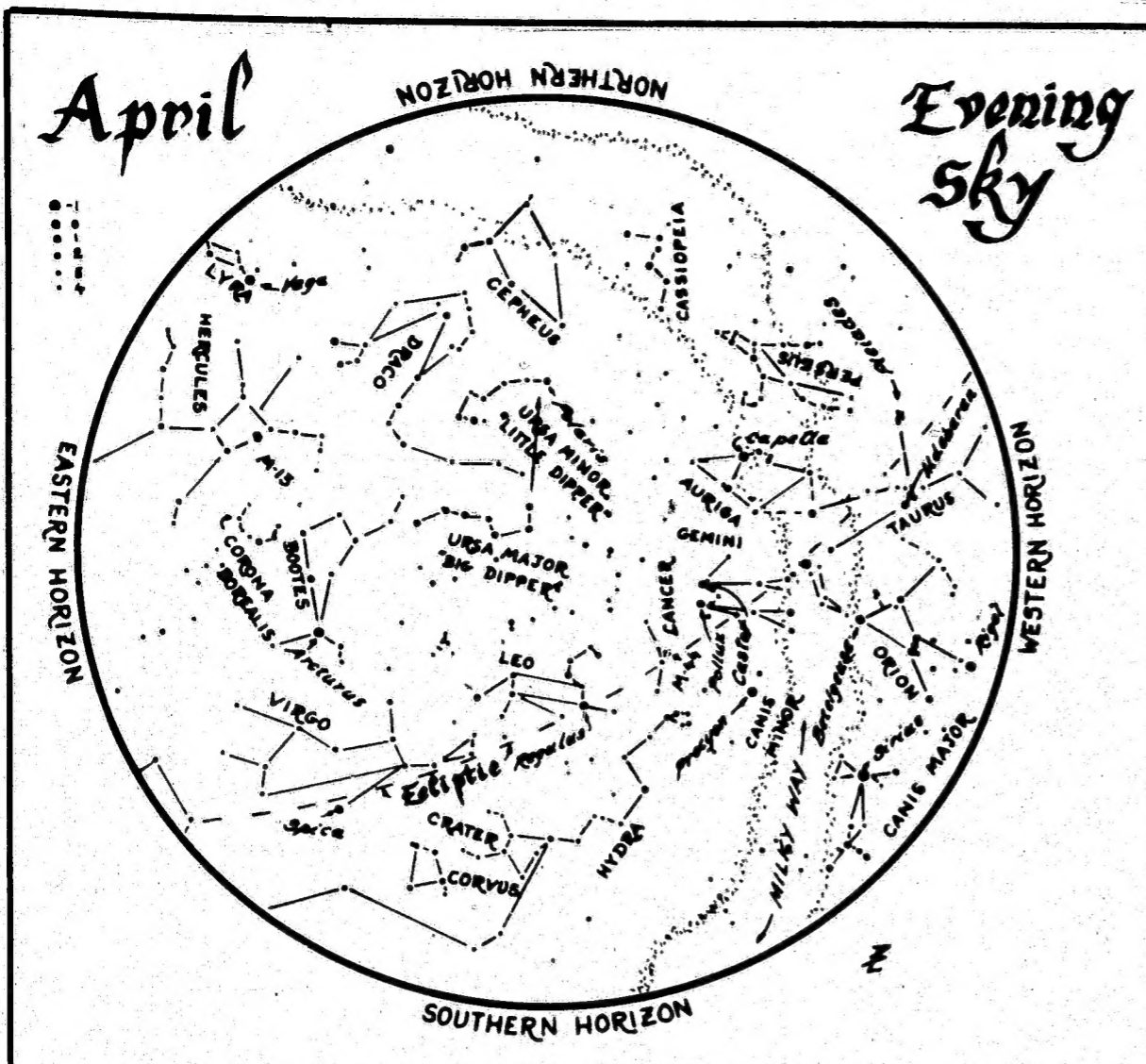
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SKYWATCH

April is the month opening the warm weather season, the month of Aphrodite, goddess of love. The Penobscot Indians named it ma'kwa'n hadin, for maple sugar gathering, an operation that usually lasts the entire month.

A combination of the orbit of Earth around the sun and the 23½° tilt of its axis gives us our seasons. As the month progresses, the sun will move higher in our sky, pouring more energy per square foot onto the State of Maine, and the warmer weather that deserves to be labeled spring will come to us at last. The sun is a giant nuclear fusion reactor fusing hydrogen into helium and, in the process, converting 4 million tons of material per second into energy. This is the source of the light we see reflected off the planets and moons of the solar system, and which the Earth receives. (Our planet only catches 2 billionths of this scattered light.)

Bundle into a warm jacket and go out to view the April heavens. The effort will be rewarded with a view of the spring constellations. Try to get as far from houses and streetlights as possible (an open field is good). Looking south, you will find a star group that resembles a sickle or a backward question mark. This is the head and chest of Leo the Lion, lord of beasts and lord of this section of the sky, and one of the few constellations that actually looks like its

name. The brightest star of the section is Regulus at the bottom of the sickle. Cancer, the Crab, another well-known zodiacal constellation, is very dim, but identifiable, as an upside-down "Y" directly in front of Leo's head.

Off to the west, the mighty hunter Orion is slipping away. But another hero, Hercules, is rising in the east on his way north for a few months. Hercules is noteworthy for the globular cluster there, containing more than 300,000 stars. To the naked eye, it appears as a single dim star, but with binoculars it appears as a wistful patch. You can find it on the west side of the keystone shape that forms the chest of Hercules.

The brightest planets seem to be Mercury and Venus, which are best seen in the west at sunset on the 1st, but other planets show themselves in mid-month. Venus will then be seen only with difficulty. Mars will also be very low in the west after sunset as it moves into Taurus. The king planet, Jupiter, is in Capricorn, about 4½ hours before sunrise, and will be very low in the southeast by sunrise. Gold-colored Saturn rises in Libra four hours after sunset and will be very low in the southwest by sunrise.

For late-night skywatchers, the Lyrid meteor shower will be this month's highlight when it peaks in the wee hours of the morning on the 22nd. This is a relatively small major shower, pro-

ducing only about 15 "falling stars" an hour, but it lasts for about two days (beginning the 21st) and this year's peak comes at the time of the new moon, so the sky will be dark enough for good watching.

As always, the shower name refers to the constellation from which the meteors seem to be falling, in this case, Lyra, the Harp. After midnight at this time, Lyra will be well placed in the eastern sky.

APRIL CALENDAR: 2nd, Saturn brightest; 5th, full moon, last quarter; 20th, moon at exact quarter—telescope night at the UMO planetarium, 7:30 p.m., clear skies permitting (call 581-1341 for reservations); 22nd, Lyrid meteor shower peak; 26th, new moon; 28th, Spring Ahead one hour, daylight savings time begins.

Skywatch is provided by the University of Maine at Orono.

NOTE OF THANKS

The V.I.P. (Volunteer) Coordinators would like to thank the following people who helped to make the Bethel Elementary Celebration of Volunteerism such a success.

The SAD 44 Maintenance Crew for transporting tables, chairs, and the system.

To Gould Academy, especially Burt Hedjok, for lending us the tables and chairs.

The custodial staff at Crescent Park School for their record-time cleaning and preparation of the school.

The SAD 44 kitchen, for lending us kitchen utensils.

The Telstar teachers who helped us set up tables and chairs.

Jolene Shimamura
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West Paris

By VIVA WHITMAN

A little on the cloudy side this morning as I sit down to see what I can think of to write about. Not that it hasn't been a busy week, but just haven't up to par and have had to make too many trips to the doctor's and take too much medication. It gets to be tiresome and especially so when you think that if you go to the hospital that you will get the care you need. I had a bronchial asthma attack on Sunday and went to the Stephens Memorial Hospital for help. Didn't get much and the doctor who saw me wasn't there for more than a minute. As long as the x-rays showed I didn't have pneumonia, he acted as though I hadn't ought to be bothering him at all. I had never had an attack when I lost my voice before, but had that morning as I had coughed and coughed until I was worn out and felt as though I was going to pass out, but thank the Lord I didn't. I am just so discouraged with trying to get help when I need it and not being able to.

Made it through until Tuesday and had an appointment with my own doctor in North Bridgton and he has tried his best to help, but guess I need to call on him again as I don't seem to get over this trouble as I should. At least, he was willing to listen and knew I needed help. It makes one tired to wheeze all the time and that is what I do when I have one of these spells. My doctor says it is because I got such a dose of formaldehyde last year and he may be right. The lady who came to see me last summer had asthma that was caused by moving into a mobile home and getting too much formaldehyde, so be careful when considering such a move. If I had only known what I do now, I never would have moved into a mobile home. Why the government lets companies make homes that can ruin anyone's health, is beyond me. I guess they don't care either.

Wynona and Courtney came to call on us Sunday and the hugs I got from Courtney helped a lot. She is a loving little girl and knew that Nana didn't feel well. I was glad to see that she was feeling better. Wynona is still holding on to her cold, but hope she gets rid of it soon.

They stayed most of the day as Michael had to work all day and Nonie and Courtney had to go get him after work. With one car and where he is working so far from now, it makes it hard on them. They have been looking for a place that they might move to, to be nearer his job, but the prices are about twice what they are paying and they just can't afford it with a new baby coming in a little over a month. It is so hard for people to make a living now that I don't wonder there are so many suicide attempts, etc. Jobs aren't plentiful and with prices so out of reason, how can young people get a start? It takes a fortune just to pay for an apartment, say nothing about the utilities, etc., on top of it. Children get sick and that costs a lot, so it is a never ending battle to make a living.

Sunday evening, Helen Strout and her niece, Brandy, called for a little while. Courtney was delighted to have someone to play with as she loves other children. Only trouble was that Brandy has an older sister to play with, so was a little rough at times. That seems to happen a lot. The smaller ones have to fight to have things to play with and it makes them a little rougher; then

when a little one, who isn't used to it, tries to play with them, they don't understand why the new one is rough. They had a pretty good time though and it is good for children to play with one another.

Nonie said that the doctor let Courtney listen to the baby's heart beat when she went this week and Courtney was thrilled. She keeps saying, "Hi Baby," so she knows she is to have a baby brother or sister and is getting anxious. I am too and will be glad when it is over and we have our little one before us.

Tuesday was my day at North Bridgton as I said and then to the drug stores to get medication, then home. Wednesday afternoon, Russell had to go to the garage and get his truck tinkered. Somehow, one of the front springs had gotten broken and needed fixing. It costs an arm and a leg get anything done on a vehicle now, but can't seem to do without, so it is fixed for the time being, anyway. Lawrence changed the oil and put a new filter in to my car the other day and it sounds better. One of the tappets or whatever, was getting a little noisy and whatever it fixed. He is a good mechanic, so had him listen to it and that was his suggestion and did the job for me. I appreciate it very much and hope he knows it.

Forgot to tell you all that Russell and I went to Grange last Saturday night, though we probably should have stayed home. Didn't think it would make us feel any worse than we already did, so went and had a pretty good meeting with more visitors than members, present. We were glad to have the visitors come and as usual, some of them helped out with the program, which I appreciated, also. We all like to hear Harry Boyer sing and Dot Canwell on the piano; Richard Felt and Dot did some musical numbers for us and Bertha Benoit played her harmonica along with them. Dot and Richard like to get a little music going, even before supper, and we don't mind at all. It was nice to have Ernest Holt with us and we were especially glad to see Chester Hayes of Winthrop Grange, Shelburne, N.H., there. Hope to see him again soon.

Sugar cookies were chosen and Abby Buswell's were judged to go to Pomona to be judged there. Dress sewing contest is coming right up, so anyone interested, get to sewing. Poetry contest is due by July 15 and so is the complete program contest. Many more contests are in the making and will soon be due, so anyone wishing to enter, feel free to ask questions or whatever so they can enter any that they desire.

Our next Grange meeting will be April 27 and will be a three point meeting. We have joined with Franklin Grange and West Paris Grange for three-point meetings. At West Paris, the meeting will be April 18; at Bear River Grange, April 27 and at Franklin Grange the meeting will be May 6, so they are close together, but I am sure they will be fun and then we can get on with our own business as we see fit and need to. Of course, the special meeting for all our members and any other people who would like to attend to see about Grange will be May 4 at Bear River Grange Hall at 7 p.m. We are hoping some non-grange members will come and feel that they would like to join. All are welcome to come, as it will be an open meeting.

The sun is trying to come out and shine, so maybe it will make it after a little. In the meantime, take care and wish everyone the best of health and happiness.

DAV meets in Rumford

The Rumford Chapter 21 of the Disabled American Veterans will meet Tuesday, April 9, at 7 p.m. at the VFW Hall on Waldo Street, Rumford.

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By MARJORIE JODREY

Linwood Tucker is a patient at Ledgewick nursing home in West Paris. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Fyberg and daughters, Jennifer and Jillian, left Sunday night to spend some time in Florida visiting relatives.

There was a good attendance at the Youth Group's supper on Saturday night.

Mrs. Violet Swain is urging nine Andover Telstar seniors who have not given photos to her for publication to please do so immediately because this is her last request. If you want your pictures published with the rest, please comply.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Swain attended a special 1918 Club meeting on March 23 at Alfred. There were 80 in attendance—members and guests. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hodsdon of Rumford was the other couple from this area in attendance. The spring meeting will be held at the Country Way in South Paris on May 18.

Mrs. Francis Humphrey was in Waterville on Tuesday to visit Mrs. Hortense Humphrey, who is a patient in Thayer Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Archer Porter received a card from Erlon Blood of South Lancaster, Mass., a former resident of South Andover and a 1938 graduate of Andover High School and married to the former Alida Verill, another former Andover resident, that he was racing at Steamboat Springs, Colo., in the National Masters Cross Country Championship for those in the over 30 years of age group. He has received a silver medal in the 30 kilometer race and a bronze medal for the 15 kilometer race in his age class. He and his parents used to live where the Rex Thurston family lives now.

Many from town were in Berlin, N.H., and Gorham, N.H., shopping on Wednesday.

Greetings on Sunday, March 31, at the First Congregational Church were Alys Parsons and Katie Luce.

Mrs. Mary Thurston returned Tuesday after visiting a week with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Thurston in Arundel.

Remember, if you have a news item get it to me before noon on Friday.

On March 31, Pastor Donald Grover's message at the Calvary Congregational Church was "The King is Coming." The choir sang "If That Isn't Love." On March 24, the movie "The Penelope Gang" was shown at the church, with refreshments and fellowship following. There will be a film about every six weeks, and will get this information out: next film "The Big Money Mix Up," date will be announced later. Pastor Nathaniel Pearson of the Carthage Union Church invited the church to join them for the Palm Sunday evening service March 31, at 6:30. Easter Sunrise service at 6:30 a.m.; breakfast at 7 a.m. Plan to come and worship and for the fellowship. Brother Lindy and Mrs. Putnam will be with the group at that time. They will be here starting on April 5th through the 7th. April 17, 7:30 p.m., annual business meeting. The new Sunday School material has arrived. Sunday School for all ages, 9:30 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

Elderwood Manor Items

Mrs. Bernice Glover returned Saturday after visiting in Hollis and West Buxton for a few days.

Florence Hall was interviewed on Tuesday evening by two students from the elementary school, Suzanne Richardson and Chad Bishop, for a school project.

Mrs. Louise Powell visited her mother, Mrs. Alma Hewey, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Shatney of Sudbury Village of Bethel called on Mrs. Anne Fox Saturday afternoon.

Fred Greenlow, Thelma Clark, and Anne Fox were in Berlin, N.H., Sunday afternoon.

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Locke Mills

By LORRAINE MILLS

Union Church News

Reminder: The Easter Cantata, "Up From the Grave," will be presented Saturday, April 6, at 7 p.m. with refreshments following provided by the Ladies Circle.

Thursday, April 4, at 7 p.m. there will be a Maundy Thursday service with communion in the sanctuary of the Locke Mills Union Church. The West Paris Mission Congregational Church has been invited to participate. All are welcome.

Friday, April 5, the Locke Mills Church has been invited to join the Newry Community Church for a Good Friday service in Newry.

Sunday Services will include a 5:15 a.m. Easter Sunrise Service outdoors in the cemetery; a 6 a.m. Easter breakfast in the Sunday School room; at 7 a.m. there will be two special Easter audio visuals led by the "7:30 Group" and then the regular Easter worship service at 9 a.m. with Sunday School following at 10:30. Have a Happy Easter!

The Youth Group will go to an overnight retreat at Rockcroft Lodge, Friday, April 5.

On Sunday, March 24, Gladys Jordan was guest of honor at a family gathering celebrating her 80th birthday. The event was held at the Sunday School room, with a potluck dinner being served at 1 p.m. There were 35 guests present from Locke Mills, Bethel, West Bethel, Bryant Pond, North Yarmouth, Wilton, Livermore Falls, Newburgh, and Bangor. She received many cards and gifts in an old fashioned, wooden wishing well. The event was planned by her daughter, Mrs. Bernice Brown of Bethel. The birthday cake was made and served by Nathalie Jordan. Many family pictures were taken, and all enjoyed getting together again. Unable to make the party on Sunday, grandson Mike Jordan, wife Margo, and son Adam of Wilton called to visit Saturday. Mrs. Jordan received many cards from her friends and relatives to help her celebrate.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills and Mrs. Ann Roy are among those who have been participating in the week of prayer at the Gospel Center of the CAMA. The group meets each night at a different home for gospel singing, prayer and fellowship.

Miss Valerie Cole has been having a weeks vacation from Plymouth (N.H.) State College. Valerie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Cole.

Ralph Mills is planning to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mills, over the Easter weekend.

Mrs. Grace Day and Charlotte Cole had supper with Becky Ricker and Herman Cole Thursday night in honor of Mr. Cole's 90th birthday. His son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cole from Pennsylvania were also there visiting him.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith of Dryden were in Massachusetts over the weekend attending a youth conference with other members of the Calvary Hill Baptist Church. Mrs. Smith is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Mills.

Charlotte Cole visited Anne Troy Sunday and had dinner. Following dinner they visited Mrs. Arlene Stiles. Mrs. Stiles had been a patient at the Market Square Health Care Facility for 23 years and is now residing with Mr. and Mrs. James Mason, Jr., on Curtis Hill. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dingley and Lena Kangas at Mountain View Apartments in West Paris. Dora (Dingley) will be having a birthday April 17 so don't forget. She always loves to get cards.

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By LOUISE LORING

The days of his labor had been long, and as the finishing touches were diligently added to the crudely hewn object—he mused over the circumstances that had compelled him to take this commission. The handsome price upon completion would recompense him for his many hours of long labor and he would not be forced to beg and steal in the market-place to eke out a living for his young wife and two helpless babes. For over a year now, and before the birth of his children—a decent living was not to be had—since the occupation of the Roman soldiers. He had heard of a miracle-man who was to pass through the area and he wondered if this was a fact and not merely a rumor designed by the helpless to give themselves a little courage in facing life as it was really meant to be—and perhaps might be a figment of their own imagination. On the other hand if the stories about this man were true—perhaps he could ask this man to grant him some better fortune—and free people like himself from bondage if indeed this was the case. He had heard it whispered in the streets that this man had been able to restore vision to the blind—heal the sick and even bring back to life those that were thought to be dead—therefore if this was really true would he not then be able to show him a way to live that would bring happiness to his little family—perhaps for an eternity? The day was hot and sultry and beads of sweat formed upon his brow, his lips tasted of salt and he felt the sharp pains of hunger enveloping his whole being—he ran his hand across his brow and loosened his turban—and took in the sash that entwined his waist another notch. Suddenly he could hear his villagers from without the courtyard chanting an unusual cry and running to the courtyard and peering out he saw multitudes lining the cobblestoned streets. Turning and entering the adobe bricked coolness of his home—he beckoned to his wife and children to follow him to the streets. As he approached the jostling crowd—he was able to catch a glimpse of a man his own age bedecked in white robes—riding astride a small donkey—palm leaves were being strewn in his path—"Could this indeed be the Miracle-Man that he had heard so much about?" As the procession drew nearer a feeling of great serenity and joy engulfed him—seeking to calm the hungry whimpers of his small son that he held aloft his broad shoulders, "IT WAS HE—it was the man called Jesus—" "He has come to save us all!" Without saying a word his wife took their little Obadiah by the hand and started to follow the crowd—he would join them also with his little son—but not before he had destroyed the cross that lay in his courtyard—he did not need the Romans' dirty money now—he would survive—he knew that.

The needs of Cleopas and his family could be answered by this man Jesus. (For the rest of the story—read St. Luke, Chapter 24.)

Happy Easter everyone—God Bless and Peace.

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OVERJOYED: Andover cheerleading coach Cindy Thibodeau was delighted by the stuffed animal her girls gave her.

W. Greenwood

By CAROLYN M. COLBY

Maude Harrington attended the Court of Honor awards night for the Boy Scouts on Wednesday.

Mona and Bob Lowe drove up to North Conway to see Katrina Lowe, Saturday.

Congratulations to Mindy Wilson for being in the Top Ten of the class of 1985 at Telstar Regional High School. We're proud of you.

Marc and Leslie Moore visited Ginny and Jerry Johnson at Bryant Pond, Saturday evening.

Nathan Moore attended a birthday party for Lydia Grover at West Bethel on Sunday, March 31.

Leah Deegan spent the weekend with Marion Soule at Palermo.

Saturday evening, March 30, Vernon and Marguerite Brown of Norway celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary. Florence Beck, Randolph, N.H., came down to go with Joe and Leah Deegan. Sally Smith made the cake for her aunt and uncle.

Kathy Deegan Lessard was discharged from the Air Force on Tuesday after five years of service. Her husband Hank, in the Navy, is stationed in San Diego. She has moved their from Hawaii and will be working in civil service.

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TROPHY WINNERS: Andover sixth-graders receiving trophies at last Wednesday's award banquet were: front row, left to right, Scott Emery and Vicki Hutchins; back row, Carla Holliday, Wally Smith, George Cassivant, Lynda Salway, Kristen Delano, Christina Gammon, Cindy Newcomb, Yvette Jones.

AWARDS CEREMONY HELD AT ANDOVER SCHOOL

An awards banquet was held at the Andover Elementary School Wednesday evening, March 27, in the school's gymnasium.

Those receiving cheering certificates and pins were: Paulette Thibodeau, Jessica Freeman, Augusta Yates, Robin Palmer, Jennifer Percival, Suzann Richards, Melissa Gaudin, Robin Michaud, April Yates, Christina Gammon, Yvette Jones, Cindy Newcomb. Sixth grade cheerleaders receiving trophies were: Christina Gammon, Yvette Jones, Cindy Newcomb.

Soccer players receiving certificates were: Jennifer Bailey, David Bishop, Jason Cole, Thomas Morton, Michael Plantier, Howard Roberts, David Smith, Todd Snyder, Scott Spaulding, Jeffrey Thurston, April Yates. Sixth graders receiving soccer pins: George Cassi-

James and "Lana" Sweetser have purchased the Ray Ferron trailer and are now enjoying their new home in the trailer park.

Chris Chapman held a successful car wash at the old A&P parking lot recently, proceeds to go to sponsor his senior citizen Easter dinner.

Chris Chapman won a trophy at the third annual dessert creation for Boy Scouts for the most effort put into creating his banana cream pie. This is his third year as a trophy winner. His brother, Timmy, won a ribbon for honorable mention for the most delicious creation—a layered pudding delight. This is Timmy's second year in a row as a ribbon winner.

East Stoneham

By GLADYS KILGORE

Another nice dog has been run over by one of the lumber trucks. They drive very fast on this straight road, both day and night. This makes five dogs killed since early winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dadmun and Mr.

vant, Scott Emery, Carla Holliday, Vicki Hutchins, Yvette Jones, Cindy Newcomb, Lynda Salway, Wally Smith.

Soccer trophy for Outstanding Soccer Achievement was awarded to sixth grader Scott Emery. Scott scored a goal in two of the three games played. His hustle and team play were factors in the team's fine season.

Those receiving basketball certificates were: Jeffery Bailey, Jennifer Bailey, David Bishop, Jason Cole, Michael Plantier, Howard Roberts, David Smith, Todd Snyder, Scott Spaulding, Jeffrey Thurston, April Yates. Sixth graders receiving trophies for basketball were: George Cassivant, Kristen Delano, Scott Emery, Carla Holliday, Vicki Hutchins (91 points), Lynda Salway, Wally Smith. All basketball players mentioned above also received basketball pins.

The sixth grader whose name was engraved on the Sportsmanship and Desire Plaque this year was Vicki Hutchins. Her outstanding performance all year was a factor in leading the Bulldogs to a fine 6-6 year. On offense Vicki scored an amazing 91 points while on defense her strength on the boards was invaluable.

and Mrs. Bob Tripp spent the weekend at the Nelson camp.

Mrs. Thelma Dadmun worked for Mrs. Frances Grant Saturday. She also works a few days a week for Grace Nelson.

Mrs. Gladys Plummer went shopping with the Maillets one day last week. Mrs. Dot Bell of Lovell called on me Wednesday. She comes to the town office every Wednesday afternoon.

Helen Grover and Mary Grover were in Lewiston one day to see an eye doctor.

Mrs. Hester Mann and Mrs. Hallie Harriman of Norway and South Paris visited their sister, Sarah Grover, Friday. Mrs. Vesta Nelson went to Portland Thursday to see Dr. Anderson, a heart specialist.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanwood Nelson went to the shopping center in Norway and South Paris Monday.

Mr. Vail, our storekeeper, is making plans to build an addition onto his store. Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Stearns and son, Eric, visited his mother Sunday. They live in South Portland.

The Fox children and their father with several others rode their bicycles to Lowell Sunday and visited their grandmother, Mrs. Iva Fox.

Because of the heavy wind blow our town was without electrical power for awhile Monday.

Mrs. Betty Farwell and friend, Anita, and son of Norway visited me Thursday. They called on Dora Lawrence.

The Daughters of Union Veterans met at the home of Mrs. Eleanor Nelson Wednesday night. Fourteen were there.

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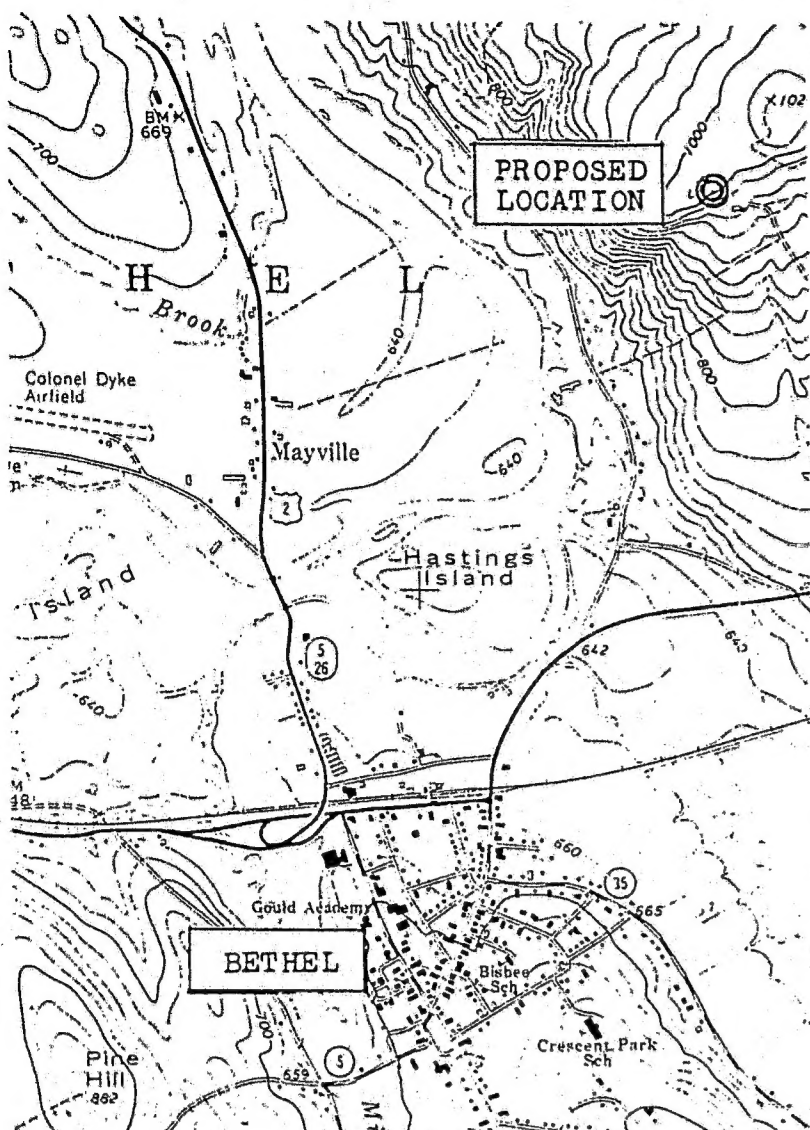
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THE PROPOSED LOCATION of Channel 10's antenna site is on Bailey Hill in Bethel.

Ch. 10 to erect antenna here

WCBB, TV Channel 10, hopes to erect a translator antenna on Bailey Hill in Bethel, General Manager Odell Skinner said this week. The translator will capture the Channel 10 signal, strengthen it, and send it out on a different channel. The antenna should provide excellent reception of the public television station within a five to 10-mile radius of Bethel, Mr. Skinner said, with improved reception in the fringe areas as well.

The cost of the project is \$30,000, he said, and a local committee has been set up to raise funds. Heading the committee is Cathy Newell, with Wendie Gray, Alvin Barth, Mary Gillies, Ted Chadbourne, John Head, Donald Eddy, Frances Harding, Bernice Wideman, Steve Wight, Curtis Cole and Ki Clough as members.

The committee must raise \$5,000 locally for the station to receive matching funds from the Bingham Betterment Foundation. WCBB will make up the difference.

General Manager Skinner said the station recently received the go-ahead from the FCC to construct the antenna on Bailey Hill. Negotiations for the permit had been going on for four years, he said.

"Even with the possibility of a cable company coming to Bethel, we feel this area will greatly benefit from the improved signal this translator will bring," he said.

The fund-raising committee was expected to meet this morning (Wednesday) to map final plans for the fund-raising drive. Mr. Skinner said he is ready to begin construction as soon as the \$5,000 (needed to receive the matching funds) is raised.

Chairwoman Cathy Newell said, "We look forward to moving ahead with the project as soon as possible to bring improved service to the area." Anyone interested in contributing to the WCBB translator fund may contact Mrs. Newell at 824-2780 or 824-2089, or any of the committee members.

Greenwood City

By COLISTA MORGAN

On this Sunday morning of March 24 the sun is battling its way over the mountain. I looked out and saw two robins on the front lawn. What a lift the first one of spring brings!

Although books tell us the robin isn't really a robin because the real "Robin Redbreast" is a native of the Old World; a little bird formed much like our Eastern Bluebird with dark brown back and a reddish-orange throat and breast. Our so-called robin is really a thrush, but our forefathers named him Robin in remembrance of the beloved English bird and despite the protests of naturalists the name sticks.

The last week I went to the forest beyond the fields to visit the brook. The forest was beautiful and melancholy, where the brook was flowing in supernatural stillness beneath the trees, pinescent, and above a canopy of deep blue.

I listened to the stream, as it sparkled and whipped its way through rocks for I was afraid it might simply disappear if I didn't pay proper homage to it every minute.

For some time I stayed and watched the sun slanting through the pines, breathed the air, so fresh and cool, then turned back to the fields.

The trees whispered, as I left, and the mountains beyond the valley laughed low and soft. This little world was mine. It lay in my hand at this moment, warm and rich.

A lonely crow called from a distance. The channel water sparkled and the sun brought out the brown of the fields, the blue of the hills, and the gray of the rocks. All this was a quiet background to the thoughts which were on my mind.

The golden afternoon light softened and shadows around the trees were reaching out to each other.

I arrived home knowing that there was promise of spring.

In the evening the "golden ball" was between two clouds on the rim of the western sky. Clouds flushed and were streaked with scarlet.

A little scintillar moon appeared in the purple world of diamond points looking down on the rolling hills against the horizon and on us here by the pond.

Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John Betts held open house for Mr. and Mrs. Max Pulsifer on Saturday, March 23, to honor their Golden Wedding Anniversary. It was given by their daughter, Sharon True, and by their grandchildren.

A delightful day made it warm enough to be comfortable outside as well as inside. Over 100 friends and relatives attended. Their son who is with the Coast Guard in Alaska was unable to come.

Music was provided by the "Sweet Adeline Chorus" of Yarmouth; ladies who sang songs appropriate to the occasion.



A CHRISTMAS SCENE? No, April Fool's Day in Bethel. The spring storm dumped six inches of snow downtown. Sunday River Ski Resort measured 14 inches on top of the mountain.

West Bethel

Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Cummings returned home last week after wintering in San Mateo, Fla. Their daughter, Cathryn Lovejoy, and granddaughter, Dorothy West of Rumford, went down to drive them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Korhonen spent a few days in Florida and Tennessee recently. Alan is in college in Tennessee.

Maxine Lovejoy is feeling much better after having a bad cold and bronchitis. Harriett Stowell visited her aunt, Esther Farnum in South Paris Thursday while George went on to Lewiston for a check-up at the doctor's.

There was a good attendance at the prayer breakfast at Pleasant Valley Bible Church Saturday morning. Other churches represented were the Bethel Gospel Center, Bryant Pond Baptist, Mexico Baptist and Paris Hill Bible Church.

Craig and Janis Boyd and Chelsea of Brewer are here for the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boyd. Craig and Janis are enjoying skiing, while "Grandma" babysits Chelsea.

spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Curtis. On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Cogswell, son Troy, and grandchildren, Christopher and Rachel, of Freeport, had dinner with them and Sunday Evelyn Heikkinen of Mexico visited.

Mr. and Mrs. John Betts had their children and grandchildren as guests over the week.

Upton

By ARLINE BERNIER

Apologies for not getting items in last week. I have not yet gotten used to the different day for mailing items.

Our sympathy is extended to the Barnett families concerning the death of Eleanor Barnett. Eleanor and family lived for several years on Mill Street below the Lavalles residences, and then moved to the home now occupied by Alex and Mary Lecomte. The family moved to Rumford when jobs became scarce in the vicinity. Eleanor was a well respected lady, who took part in activities in Upton. She often served as mid-wife in the community. I remember her as a happy, good-natured woman, often laughing until the tears rolled down her cheeks.

Friday, Laurie and I went to Temple where she visited Bergeron relatives and Joseph stayed for the weekend. Melanie Farmer and I went from Temple to Hallowell to visit Mildred Judkins who was a resident of Upton for several years. Her husband, Perry, taught school here for a couple of years. Aunt Mildred served as bookkeeper for Silas Peaslee and also for Carrie Wight who was superintendent of schools.

The Berniers and Bergerons took a Sunday afternoon trip through the Upper Settlements, Oquossoc, Height of Land, Roxbury and home through Andover. It was a beautiful, clear day and the scenery was breath-taking.

The Bergerons entertained the Bourassas with a trip to South Paris and supper at the Positively Maine Street restaurant.

Lewis Begin called to find out road conditions in Upton as many people from even as near as Lewiston have found it wise to do before coming to camp. Although fields may have been bare for a long time there, they know, it could be quite different above the Notch.

Mme. Monique Rolfe, assisted by some of her star pupils, presented a French program with skits and games at Ethel Bisbee School for the kindergarten and first grade pupils. There is a lot of roadside clearing work being done in Upton and Grafton.

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WITH POLES, PADDLE AND PAWS, the team of Dave Roberts (left), of Kennebunk, and Tom Taylor, of Gorham, Maine, were the class act last Saturday, winning the sixth annual Pole, Paddle and Paw Race. They had been second last year.

GUIDANCE OFFICE NEWS

This is the first in a regular series of articles designed to keep parents and community members abreast of current guidance activities taking place at Telstar.

The last week of March was an unusually busy one for the Guidance staff. On Monday, March 25, sophomores completed the Career Planner section of the Differential Aptitude Test in English classes. When matched up with the results of the aptitude testing, the Career Planner serves as a useful tool in aiding students with career decision-making.

On Tuesday, March 26, Guidance Director Dan Hart and Biology Instructor Richard Roy accompanied a group of 20 juniors and seniors to the University of Maine at Orono for Health Professions Career Day. Upon arriving back to Bethel, the group unanimously agreed the program was well worth the grueling seven-hour bus ride, providing them with information and new insights into the many health options available to them.

Wednesday, March 27, Mr. Hart set the '85-'86 course selection process into motion meeting with all juniors to prepare them for arena scheduling to take place on April 3. Each student received a 51-page curriculum directory and '85-'86 master schedule. In meeting with college-prep juniors, Mr. Hart highly recommended they plan to register for the May college boards.

Another field trip on Thursday, March 28, provided all seniors in advanced placement courses and A.P. teachers Bill Morton, John Applin, Suzanne Taylor and A.P. Coordinator Hart with an opportunity to attend English, Math

and History classes at Bates College, Lewiston.

Thursday evening, a good showing of eighth-grade parents came to Telstar for an orientation of the high school program, curriculum and policies, presented by Principal Theodore Davis and Guidance Director Hart. This was an opportunity for parents to share their concerns regarding the transition their children will be experiencing when they enter high school in the fall.

The week ended with Mr. Hart preparing all eighth-grade students for arena scheduling to take place on Friday, April 5. By completing the scheduling process this early in the spring, students will know before the school year ends exactly what their program will be for the next academic year.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to convey to the most wonderful people of the Congregational Church and the Bethel Ambulance attendants, my sincere thanks for their prompt attention at the church the evening of March 21. They were "Angels of Mercy" and I know I was truly in "God's" hands. I thank you.
Irene Pike

CARD OF THANKS

Wilbur R. Myers and Pauline Myers wish to thank all those who made their 50th Anniversary special with cards and calls.

DISTRICT 44 DIRECTORS MEET

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ed as substitute teachers. Robert Moxey was approved as a substitute bus driver.
Any action on the election and issuance of contracts to teaching personnel was tabled until the April 8 meeting of the board.

The request of Geraldine Shimamura, food service employee, for transfer from Telstar to the Ethel Bisbee School was granted by the board. Authorization was granted to post two vacancies in food service positions.
Authorization was granted to the superintendent to post vacancies in the following positions for the 1985-86 school year: District home-school coordinator; AES elementary teacher; AES Chapter 1 teacher; WES Chapter 1 teacher; EBS half-time kindergarten teacher; CPS elementary teacher; CPS special education teachers (two positions); TMS composite room (special education) teacher; THS math/science teacher. (None of the official board appointments for these positions would be until following the district budget meeting.)

The directors approved a request of a 14-year-old Telstar Middle School eighth grader for termination of school attendance.

Earlier in the meeting, Kay Chadbourne, representative to the NOVA cooperative board, noted that the SAD 44 share of the NOVA fiscal year 1986 budget is \$52,270. The total NOVA budget for the period is to be \$216,969.

Negotiations Committee chairman Harry Swan noted that due to a recent U.S. Supreme Court decision hourly employees of SAD 44 are now entitled to time and one-half for all hours worked after 40. Locally negotiated agreements provided for time and one-half after 45 hours. Plans are to compensate affected employees retroactive to Feb. 19 of this year (the date of the decision), and to reduce the time worked by employees previously scheduled for 45 hours by 20 minutes each day.

Dan Cole, recently appointed to a one-year term as a director by the Greenwood selectmen, was present at the Monday meeting. All other directors were present.

A regular meeting of the SAD 44 board is scheduled for Monday evening, April 8, at 7:30 in the library at Telstar Regional High School.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to extend my sincere thanks to all my friends for the cards and flowers sent to me while in the hospital. Also many thanks for the gifts to me and kindnesses to my wife.
Donald W. Bennett
Locke Mills, Maine

GREENLEAF COMPLETES

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WHERE'S THE SNOW? It wasn't on the ground Saturday, as these racers began the sixth annual Pole, Paddle and Paw Race from Sunday River Inn.

Area residents favor forced auto insurance but not seat belts

Most area residents responding to a questionnaire sent out by State Representative Jeff Mills (D-Bethel), favor mandatory liability insurance for motorists, but are against forcing motorists to wear seatbelts.

With 37 percent of the 2,500 legislation survey sheets returned, Mr. Mills reported 88 percent of those responding were in favor of mandatory liability insurance. But only 30 percent favored a law requiring motorists to buckle up.

On the other hand, 67 percent favored forcing motorcycle riders to wear helmets.

On other issues, 50 percent were against outlawing happy hours as a method of cutting down on drunken drivers; 42 percent were in favor of doing away with happy hours.

On the question of whether approval for a low-level nuclear waste site should be a local matter or a state matter, 72 percent of respondents said it should be a matter for all the citizens of the state to vote on.

The majority of respondents—58 percent—expressed approval for a law that would prohibit smoking in the workplace. On the question of a minimum factor of insulation in new construction, 53 percent were in favor of such a regulation.

Rep. Mills, who represents Legislative District 49, mailed out the questionnaires in January and February and was pleased by the high percentage of responses. "I am told that this is an unusually high return rate for surveys of this type. I am gratified by the interest shown in the survey," he said.

ROTARY CLUB NEWS

The board of directors of the Bethel Rotary Club met at Dr. Lennie Shaw's office at 7 a.m. Tuesday. At this meeting, a Boy Scout appropriation was approved and discussions on plans and programs pending were conducted. The results of these discussions were relayed to the membership at the luncheon meeting at the Sudbury Inn at 12 noon Tuesday.

Visiting Rotarians and guests were: Joe Reddy, Kingsboro/Dunstable, Mass.; Scott Dennis, guest of Dave Preble; and Ira Pitcher, Lewiston/Auburn.

Rotary information was provided by Romeo Baker. He used a question-and-answer session on attendance qualification of Rotary.

The meeting agenda consisted of club assembly procedures and a talk by Ted Chadbourne on tentative planning for the establishment of a relay station for WCBB, Channel 10. Meetings are being held in the area with the general manager of WCBB, Odell Skinner, and local representatives John Head, Wende Gray and others. This program is not a part of cable television.

An introductory Fireside Chat is scheduled for Wednesday, April 3, at Romeo Baker's. Dewaine Craig will be introduced to the goals and aspirations of Rotary, and welcomed to join the organization.

The recipients of Rotary's Community Service Award for 1985 are Janice and

Raymond Harrington. The presentation of the award will be made on May 7. More information will be forthcoming.

Local dance fans are reminded that the Spring Mud Ball will be held at the Legion Hall, Locke Mills, on Saturday, April 20. One of the favorite local bands, the Stagecoach Band, will play. Come on out and join in the fun.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce met Tuesday at The Chapman Inn. The booklet is being typeset and should be off the presses at the end of April.

The Kittery display being built by Dave Brown should be ready to deliver to Kittery, also at the end of April.

Also, The Citizen's summer special section is due off the press April 18.

The chamber voted to give the Bethel Area Railroad Museum \$50 as an initial deposit in an escrow account to which donations can be made.

The executive committee will appoint a nominating committee for chamber directors to be voted on at the June meeting.

Barbara Brown has accepted the responsibility of organizing the annual June awards banquet and dinner.

The April 9 meeting is scheduled for 7:30 a.m. at Carmo Crafts.

Correction

In the obituary of Mark Porter in last week's Citizen, the name of the predeceased brother should have been Atwood Porter, who was killed in action during World War II.

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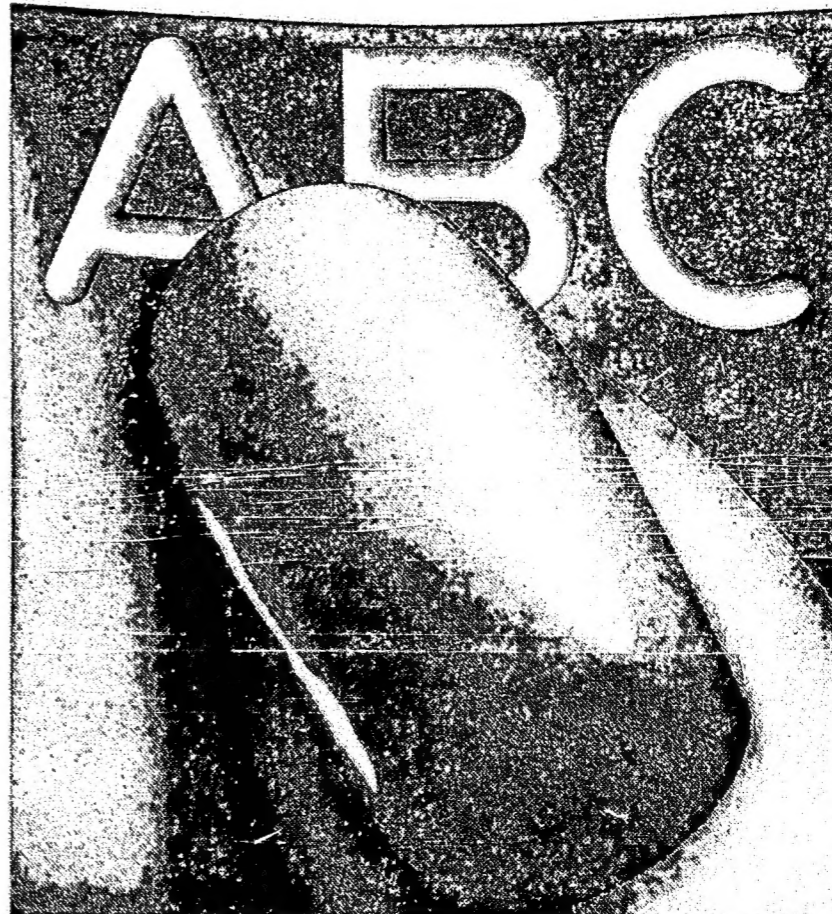
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STORY HOUR: Retired Librarian Virginia Keniston kept youngsters enthralled at the Thursday story hours.

Virginia Keniston retires as librarian; successor named

Virginia D. Keniston, Bethel librarian since 1971, retired April 1 after nearly 14 years. A certified librarian, Mrs. Keniston, a Bethel native and Gould Academy graduate (1940), taught briefly after graduating from Gorham State Teachers College in 1943. She married Robert Keniston in 1944. They have five children and nine grandchildren.

During her tenure, Mrs. Keniston was responsible for initiating and developing several programs at the Bethel library. One of the most successful was a strong children's program and story hour that has become a regular feature of the library. She also encouraged a series of rotating exhibits each year from paintings to photographs to handiwork of various kinds.

Also occurring during Mrs. Keniston's tenure were many physical changes in the library building. The upstairs was finished off and opened to the public, providing additional space for reference work, classes, films, lectures and study carrels for students. The main room was also extensively renovated to provide a more attractive appearance and greater efficiency in the utilization of limited space.

When asked to sum up her years of

dedicated service, Mrs. Keniston said she always viewed the library as a cultural center for the Bethel area and admitted, "I just love the library and really liked helping people best."

Mrs. Keniston will be succeeded by Betsy C. Raymond, of Broad Street, Bethel, whose great-grandfather, Dr. Francis Tuell, was Bethel's only dentist and a strong supporter of the library soon after its founding in 1879. Mrs. Raymond, her husband Charles, a teacher at Telstar Regional High School, and infant daughter Caroline now live in the house Dr. Tuell built in 1883.

A 1978 graduate of Colby College, with a degree in English, Mrs. Raymond, a former teacher, looks forward to continuing the present programs and building an even better library program. "I think libraries are exciting places and look forward to working with the people of Bethel and surrounding communities to ensure the best possible library program and services," she said.

A public reception honoring the retiring librarian and welcoming the new one will be held in early May.

RAILROAD MUSEUM TO MEET

The April meeting of the Bethel Area Railroad Museum will be held at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 25, at RFD #1 Restaurant. There will be a report from the Canadian National Railroad and standing committees for the Museum will be formed. All interested citizens are welcome to attend.

North Paris

By EVELINE VATCHER

A nice slow rain as I jot down these few items. It will help take the frost out of the ground and maybe take off the snow.

Doris Lawrence and Marietta Penley visited Alice Goff, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Abbott and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Coffin.

Callers at Vatchers: Clyde Knights, "Root" and Doris Lawrence, Rhoda Vatcher.

We have had several black, shiny crows helping the dogs clean up their left overs. The crows look as large as some hens. The blue jays are also around and they eat good.

Airman First Class Robert Isley, who is stationed in New York missed out on the rabbit season but Joe Vatcher put one in the freezer for him. Hopefully he will be able to get in a bit of fishing when he has his next furlough. Fishing opens April 1.

Callers at the Lawrences, Rhoda Vatcher, Odell Heath, Jeanne Millett, Joe Vatcher, Clyde Knights.

Some of the early spring flowers are sending some shoots through the warm earth, and the Easter bunny is preparing for a visit. A happy Easter to everyone.

So. Woodstock

By OLIVE DAVIS

Bruce Clements has been home from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute for the spring break. Two friends accompanied him: Clint Dechand of Bloomfield, Conn., and Sue "Honey" Szabiet of Troy, N.Y. Bruce and Clint enjoyed the week away from their roommate's dog, Wembley! Brian Kennedy of Glens Falls, N.Y., remained at R.P.I. during vacation.

Eric Clements was also at home for the week from the University of Maine at Fort Kent.

Cheryl Stowell has been home from the University of Maine at Orono for a spring vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brooks and Olive Davis were in Falmouth Saturday where they attended Cumberland Pomona's 100th anniversary. There was a dinner at noon and a program in the afternoon when the ice cream and cake completed the program. Yerdil Davie Peters was Lecturer, a former Bryant Pond girl, and Bertha Witham Benoit, a former West Paris girl, was chairman of the CWA committee.

Richard Felt attended Bear River Grange Saturday night. Sunday he and Dot Canwell played at the Ledgewood entertainment, and the closing of the Heart Fund. They were having a sale in the afternoon.

The Willing Workers had an Easter candy hunt for the children at Ledgewood on the afternoon of the 31st.

Olive and Esther Davis were in Bridgton recently and called on Lillian Harmon and Arthur Andrews. They also called on Gladys Knight at North Waterford on their way home from North Lovell.

Mrs. James Miclon has been ill with a bad case of flu. The children have been with her mother, Mrs. Downing. Rev. and Mrs. Thomas Schroer are moving in two weeks to another pastorate in Virginia.

Esther Davis entertained at a supper Thursday evening. Her guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Hathaway, Mr. and Mrs. Erland Twitchell, and Olive Davis. Robins have arrived in town. The red wing blackbird and yellow billed starlings have been here for two weeks. The starlings are building their nests now.

Albany

Hunt's Corner and Vicinity

By KATHY BENNETT

Spring is here and so are the robins. I have a few pansy blossoms and the crocus are in full bloom.

Now let it rain, rain, rain as it is so terribly dry!

Recent callers at the Barton Farm have been Roger and Yvette and Dale, Grampa Frank Barton, and Tom and Sue Fillebrown.

Monday, Franklin and Margaret Barton went to Berlin, N.H., on business. Lisa Scribner, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Frackleton of Conway, N.H., have been recent visitors at the home of Fred and Lib Scribner.

Lorrie and Steve Hodgdon and daughter had supper with Jim and Paula Allen on Saturday night. Later that evening Lorrie and Paula called on Mr. and Mrs. Larry Davis.

Sunday evening Steve and Lorrie had supper with Carl and Tammy Swallow in North Norway.

Supper guests of Homer and Esther Ward on Saturday evening were Millard and Yvonne Davis and Erland Rugg.

Helen and Linwood Ring, Verna Swan and Clara Whitman, and Terri and Chris Howard were recent callers at the Wardwell Farm.

Ernest Luneau called on Barb and Howard Inman Sunday as did Andy Inman, Renee Dittmars and Nita Inman and Ed Butters.

Recent visitors at the home of Hugh and Edith Stearns have been Barb Inman, Mike, June Inman and kids, Frank and Terri Howard and kids, Norm and Betty Rust, Ivy Philbrook, Mrs. Clarence Waterhouse, Kathy Bennett and Dougie.

Earl and Vivian McAllister had dinner with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister last Thursday.

The tempo is picking up here at K-D's Acres as the snows of winter pass.

Dan Bennett was in the one act play at Telstar on Saturday night. Congratulations to the group for a job well done on a very complicated play!

Thursday night Dan danced all night in the dance marathon and Dave helped Scott Dyer with the music. Margaret Barton and I chaperoned from midnight to 3 a.m.

Friday evening Dick and I went out to supper and called on Flo and Warren Cairns.

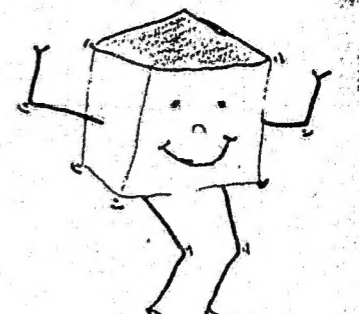
Doug Bennett spent the weekend in Bryant Pond visiting his grandmother, Eva B. Twitchell, Aunt Kay, and Chris and Elton Cole and girls.

Sunday evening we had a turkey supper for my family to celebrate Aunt Kay's birthday. Those attending were

YOUNG WRITERS



Amanda Wight, Devon Betz



I Went Square Dancing by Amanda Wight, CPS

I went square dancing Sunday night. I was late. They had already started. I waited for the second dance to start. I had been dancing about a half an hour, when there was a knock at the door. Someone opened it and in walked a square! His name was Henry. I will never forget that night.

Easter Bunny by Devon Betz, Grade 2

Once there was an Bunny hopping down the road. He was hopping... hopping... and still hopping... until he came to the Grouch! He was mean.

The Bunny, he was afraid to run. Do you think the Bunny ran away? Well, he did!

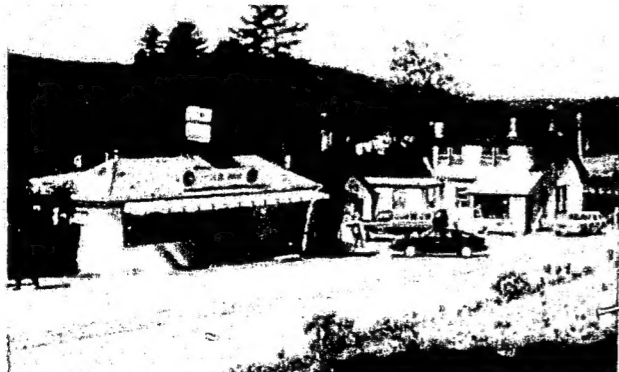
So, he went on... and on until he came to the house and, peeked in and there, he saw the baskets, just laying on the table.

Eva B. Twitchell, Aunt Kay, Chris and Elton Cole, Megan and Maire. There was a very strange happening that night—all of my boys were home, Dave, Dan, and Doug!

Other callers have been Jeff Barton, Margaret Barton, Barb Inman, Faye Dyer, Lorrie Hodgdon, Steve and Lolita, Terri Howard and Chris, and Darreth, June Inman, Michelle and Brian. Have a good week, everyone.

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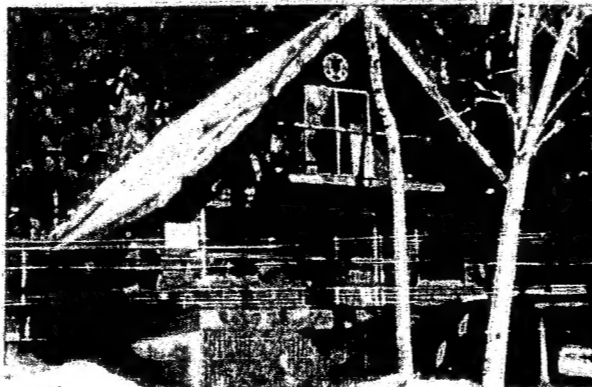
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Newry

By AMY HUNTSUM

The Oxford County Municipal Officers were guests of Newry town officials at the Municipal Building with 30 members present. Members expressed satisfaction with Newry's new offices. Letters were read from Olympia Snowe and George Mitchell.

The Mothers' Club will meet at the Club Room April 8 at 7:30 p.m. There will be a tasting party. Each member is to pay 25 cents for the first 100 pounds of her weight, plus one cent for each additional pound.

The Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club will meet at the Club House April 18, at 6:30. There will be a pot luck supper, followed by the meeting. The Bible Study Group met Thursday at 10 a.m. at the home of Sue Wight.

Gilbert Seeley, June Swan, Olive and Jim Anderson, Betsy Clark, Eleanor Morton, Nancy Wight and Rena Powers were in Rumford bowling March 27. Eleanor Morton was high scorer with Nancy Wight second.

Congratulations to Brent Bachelard and Marsha Moxcey.

Katie Wight was guest of honor at a first birthday party March 20, at the home of her grandparents, John and Nancy Wight. Attending were John and Nancy Wight, Scott, Loretta, Jason and Mandy Berry, Newry; Bradley, Brenda and Sheila Fleet, Bethel; Jeff, Terri, Danielle and Staci Littlehale, Bryant Pond. Terri Littlehale made a clown cake. Katie was one year old March 19.

Mandy Berry was guest of honor at a party for her fourth birthday March 23, at the home of her parents, Scott and Loretta Berry. Attending were Scott, Loretta, Mandy and Jason Berry, Francis and Helen Berry, John and Nancy Wight, James, Marjorie, Erin, Aaron and Wade Osgood, Newry; Michael Wight, Jeff and Matt Cummings, Bethel; Jeff, Terri, Danielle and Staci Littlehale, Bryant Pond; Dave and Natalie Berry, Portland. Terry Littlehale made a Rainbow Bright Doll Cake.

Stephen Yates was re-elected chairman and clerk of the Newry Planning Board at their meeting March 19. Approval was given to Romeo Baker for a "bed and breakfast" at his home. Les Otten presented plans for future development at the Sunday River Skiway. Plans for minor revisions to local ordinances were discussed to be presented at a public hearing and a special town meeting later this spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Yates were in Lewiston March 21, to attend a dinner theater. They were joined by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fray, Benton. Michael Wilusz and Fray Benson, South Portland, were weekend guests of the Yates. They enjoyed an afternoon of ice skating and a nostalgic tour of the area. Steve and Mike enjoyed several years at the Roberts camp on West Brook before the Yates moved to Newry. Steve and Linda reminisced about their honeymoon at the camp nine years ago.

The subject of Pastor Hanscom's message at the Newry Community Church March 24, was Peace. Marsha Moxcey read the scripture from St. John 14:12-31. Coffee was served after the service with Sylvia Harrington as hostess. Communion was held at the service March 31.

The Newry Community Church will be host to the area churches April 5, 7:30 p.m. for Good Friday service. A Collection will be taken. Refreshments will be served after the service. Easter Sunrise service will be held at Mother Walker Falls in Grafton Notch Easter Sunday at 7 a.m., followed by Easter breakfast at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Wight. Easter service will follow at the church at 9 a.m.

Scott Wight, New York, N.Y., was a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Wight, March 17 to 24. Thomas Wight and Edith Murphy, Stowe, Mass., were weekend guests March 23-24.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Wight and family, Old Town, were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wight.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Pugliese, Gilead, called on Louise Learned, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Louise Learned spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Cummings and family, Madison.

East Bethel

Alder River Grange will have a meeting on Friday, April 5, at 7:30 p.m. at the hall. Oxford Grange is doing degree work on April 13 starting at 9:30. Alder River has two new members who will do their work at Oxford Grange. It would be nice if Alder River had a good turn out for this.



PUPPETEERS: Terry Merrill's fourth-graders at Woodstock Elementary School presented a puppet play on Christopher Columbus to the third grade. Standing behind the stage are Tammy Jamison, Devin Benson and Kirk Thornton. Kneeling, with their puppets, are Betsy Johnson (with Pedro), Cory Campbell (with Senora Columbus), Stacy House (with Dominico), and Nathan Clukey (with Christopher Columbus).

Magalloway

By ALICE HARVEY

Avery Russell of Connecticut spent a long weekend with his parents, Wes and Helen Russell.

Phyllis Parsons was in Exeter, N.H., for several days recently visiting with her daughter, Kim Lowell and family. The candy makers in this area are busy with preparations for Easter.

Evelyn Sokoloski of Errol gave a demonstration on "A Quilt in a Day" at a recent Tuesday Ladies meeting. Dougy Baker of Milan spent the weekend with his grandparents, Pete and Margaret Baker.

Larry and Ann Bragg visited with their daughter, Barbie Linkenback and family in Berlin, Friday evening.

Mark and Alice visited with Raymond and Marie Cooper in Littleton, N.H., one day last week.

Liz Grover spent the weekend with the Henderson family in Littleton, N.H. Happy Easter everyone!

Songo Pond

By ALICE KIMBALL

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parsons with the Powells of Bethel enjoyed dinner at West Paris Sunday and then toured maple syrup producers in Buckfield and Welchville.

Mrs. Helen Jewell of Waterford visited me one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hindman of Portland were overnight visitors of Mrs. Myra Doyen last Friday. On Sunday Myra, Sherry and Mark drove to the Portland Jetport to meet Mrs. Rachel Buchanan, who spent the week with her mother and grandmother.

Tuesday evening Connie Hindman and Mark enjoyed ice cream and cake with Mrs. Myra Doyen and Rachel to celebrate Mark's seventeenth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kallis arrived here Tuesday from their winter place in Florida. They left New Smyrna a month ago and enjoyed a leisurely trip north visiting places of interest along the way enjoying concerts and visiting their families in Connecticut and Massachusetts.

Mrs. Myra Doyen, Mrs. Connie Hindman and Mark, and Mrs. Rachel Buchanan drove to Vermont Thursday, enjoyed dinner and visiting Myra's sister, Mrs. Alfreda York, in a nursing home in Burlington.

Warren Parsons of Bath called on his folks Saturday.

David Salway spent Friday night with his brother Barry Salway and family in Laconia, N.H., and visited his brother Paul Salway, who is a patient in a Concord hospital awaiting surgery.

"Never slam a door—you may want to go back."

CARD OF THANKS

A most grateful thank you from the family of Reta Thibodeau: During a time like this we learn how much our friends really mean to us. Your expressions of sympathy will always be remembered.

Julie Thibodeau and the Thibodeau family

Bryant Pond

By ALICE F. HOYT

The Unitarian Universalist Church of Bryant Pond will hold an Easter worship service April 7 at 9 a.m. Steve Cook, a second year student at Bangor Theological Seminary, will lead the service. Music will be by Mercedes Fiske, Michelle Cummings and Mercedes Brent. Refreshments and an Easter Egg Hunt will follow the service. Contributions of memorial flowers, refreshments and egg hunt goodies are welcome.

Jollyworkers 4-H meeting will be April 13 at 1 p.m. at their leader's.

The Daughters of Union Veterans met on Monday, March 25, for a meeting at the Grange Hall. Twenty members were present with Leatrice Chase filling in for the Senior Vice President. Alice Wardwell and Beatrice Farnum were presented their 50-year pins and a corsage from their families. The program consisted of Merle Howe reading about President James Madison; Stacy Howe had two games which everyone played; JoAnn Crockett read some trivia questions. The next meeting will be Monday, April 8, at the Grange Hall, with Verna and Elizabeth on the committee. There will be a silent auction.

Elizabeth Hoyt was visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hoyt, and visiting churches in the area. She returned home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ring, Freeport, were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring. Alan Ring and friend visited on Sunday. They celebrated Arthur Ring's birthday.

Mrs. Ruth Dunham visited her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Macmillan, Rumford, a few days last week.

No. East Lovell

By PAULINE SMITH

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Morris of South Portland were here at the camp on Cushman Pond, Sunday.

A birthday party for Raymond Fox and Wendy, at Larry Fox's home, Sunday. Quite a few of the family went.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith of South Paris called on Iva Fox, Ruth and John, and also Mrs. Libby, No. 4.

Nine in the choir in church. Mal Wilson preached as Don Morrison was away. Good crowd out.

Wednesday, Leroy and Pauline Smith, Iva Fox, Ruth and John, and called at Carolyn Knights in Oxford.

The Leroy Smiths called on Stephen and Jean Henderson, his mother and son Mark, this week.

Sorry to hear Gerry Andrews is in the hospital.

Margaret Gerrish remains in her home. Doesn't get out though.

Callers at Hazel Allen's, Nona Gayger and Carrie Smith, Norway.

Edith Holt called at Leroy Smith's. Iva Fox and Linda Allen called at Etta Perry's, South Paris, and Errol and Gertrude Barker, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert McAllister, Mr.

EASTER MEDITATION

Lord, make us instruments of your peace.

Where there is injury, let us sow love, Where there is hatred, let us sow peace, Where there is doubt, faith, Where there is despair, hope, Where there is sadness, joy, Where there is darkness, light.

Grant that we may not seek so much to be consoled, as to console; To be loved, as to love.

For in giving, we receive. In pardoning, we are pardoned. And in dying, we are born to eternal life. Amen.

Saint Francis of Assisi (adapted) Someone once said that the Christian faith has not been tried and found wanting, but that it has been found difficult and left untried.

Saint Francis, in his prayer and in his life, knew this truth. Jesus, of course, knew the difficulty more than anyone, in Gethsemane.

This is the challenge of faith, and it is also the challenge of Holy Week and Easter. Given the call of the world, and given the depth of the psychological ruts we get into, it is a miracle that the grace of God can break through to us. That is the challenge and the miracle of Easter.

We can meet the challenge miraculously because Jesus did, and because we have at times somewhat already, even if only gradually, and tentatively. But if our lives have not fully reflected the life Saint Francis prayed for, and that Jesus gave his life for, that's OK. What is important is living a life that is open to the miracle of grace, and that tries to be faithful to the life Jesus lived for, died for, and lived again for.

We live for it. We die for it. And we will live again for it, because He did.

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Monday:
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Tuesday:
Ladies' Bible Study, 9:30 a.m. (for location call 824-2859, Babysitting.)
Wednesday:
Prayer and Bible Study, 7 p.m.

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Rev. Gwendolyn Johnson
Interim Pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School (for all ages including adults), 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship, 6 p.m.

Wednesday:
Prayer Meeting, 7 p.m.
Youth Meeting, 4 p.m.
For transportation or information to any service call 824-2872.

Unitarian-Universalist
Bryant Pond
Services first Sunday of every month. For complete list of guest speakers write to Emily Ecker, Clerk, Universalist Church, Bryant Pond, Me.

Christian Science Services
In all Christian Science churches, the Lesson-Sermon read from the desk is the same. The public is cordially invited to attend.
Sunday, April 7: Subject, Unreality. Golden Text: Job 32:8, "...there is a spirit in man; and the inspiration of the Almighty giveth them understanding."

First Church of Christ, Scientist
Corner of Main and Tenth Streets, Berlin, N.H. holds Sunday morning services at 11 a.m. and Sunday School at the same hour for pupils up to the age of 20 years. The Wednesday evening meeting is at 7:45, including testimonies of healing.

Christian Science Society, Norway
9 Stevens St., off Alpine St.
Sunday:
Services and Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.
Wednesday:
Evening Service, 7:30 p.m. includes testimonies of healing.

Our Lady of the Snows
Catholic Church
Rte. 26 Bethel
Rev. Donald R. Proulx
Saturday, 4:30 Anticipated Mass

Sat. Catherine of Sienna
29 Paris St., Norway
Rev. Donald Proulx
Anticipated Mass, Sat. 7 p.m.
Sunday Masses, 9 & 11:15 a.m.

At Faith Bible Church, Route 232 Rumford Corner:
Sunday:
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
6 p.m. Youth Group
7 p.m. Evening Service

Wednesday:
7 p.m. Evening Service
At 524 Prospect Ave., Rumford:
Mon.-Fri.:
Prayer and Devotional 8 a.m.
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Rumford Area Bible Speaks
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UNITED PARISH
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East Stoneham
Congregational Church
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North Waterford
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10:30 a.m. Worship Service

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West Bethel Union Church
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Home 583-4688
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Bruce Swan
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Pleasant Valley Bible Church
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836-2828
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Bryant Pond Baptist Church
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Rev. E. Marjorie Churchill
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Parsonage 392-3081
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1983 Ford Ranger XLT, auto, P/S, stereo, dual tanks, 34,000 miles. \$6,195.

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1981 Chevy C-20 van, V8, auto, P/S. \$4,995.

1980 Chevy El Camino, 6 cyl, std, P/S. \$3,195.

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CARS UNDER 20,000 MILES

1984 Ford Escort 4dr, 5sp, P/S, 2-tone, stereo, 14,000 miles. \$5,995.

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1984 Camaro V6 auto, P/S, 21,000 miles. \$8,295.

1984 Chevy Celebrity 4dr auto, P/S, cruise, stereo, 28,000 miles. \$7,495.

1984 Nissan Sentra wagon, 5sp, rack, stereo. \$5,495.

1984 Plymouth Horizon 4dr, standard, AM/FM stereo, 7,100 miles. \$5,495.

1983 Olds Cutlass Ciera Brougham 2dr. \$5,495.

1983 Ford Escort 3dr, stereo, factory sunroof, 28,000 miles. \$4,795.

1983 VW Rabbit 2dr PUFF, 28,000 miles. \$4,995.

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1984 Mazda 626 4dr, 5sp, P/S, RARE FIND, 40,000 miles. \$6,995.

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1983 Camaro T-top, 305 V8, 5sp, P/S, stereo, FAST & SPORTY. 34,000 miles. \$7,995.

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STATE OF MAINE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
Sealed proposals addressed to the State Department of Transportation, Augusta, Maine 04333 and endorsed on the wrapper "Proposal for building two sections of Hot Bituminous Overlay in the townships of GRAFTON and BACHELERS GRANT," will be received by the Department at the office of the Commissioner, Transportation Building in Augusta, until 10:30 a.m. (prevailing time) on April 17, 1985 and at that time and place publicly opened and read.
Description: Maine Federal Aid Project No. RS-RSG-0178(6) and FH-05-1(1).
Location: In Oxford County, Project No. RS-RSG-0178(6) located in the TWP of Grafton town begins on Rte. 26 about 0.04 mile south of the Upton-Grafton town line and extends southerly 3.25 miles. Project No. FH-05-1(1) located in Bachelers Grant begins on Rte. 113 about 2.02 miles south of its intersection with Rte. U.S. 2 and extends southerly 3.0 miles.
Outline of Work: Hot bituminous pavement and other incidental work.
For information contact Rex Martin, Tel. No. (207)289-2171.
Plans, Specifications and proposal forms may be seen at the State Department of Transportation, Augusta, Maine and may be purchased from the Department. Full size plans at \$2.00 or half size plans at \$2.00, \$1.00 per sheet. Proposal Book \$5, payment in advance, all non-refundable.
Each proposal must be made upon blank forms provided by the Department and must be accompanied by an official bank check, a cashier's check, a certified check, or cash of deposit or a United States postal money order in the amount of \$7,500.00 payable to Treasurer of State as a proposal guarantee.
This contract is subject to all appropriate Federal Laws, including Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.
All work shall be governed by "State of Maine, Department of Transportation, Standard Specifications, Revision of January 1984," price \$5, \$7 by mail.
A Contract Performance Surety Bond and a Contract Payment Surety Bond each in the amount of 100 percent of the contract price will be required of the successful bidder.
The right is hereby reserved to reject any or all proposals.
Richard A. Coleman
Chief Engineer
Augusta, Maine
March 27, 1985 14-15

Full time staff nurse position available in our Rumford office. Graduate of professional school of nursing with state and regional accreditation required. One to two years of general or community health nursing experience desirable. Current RN license in the state of Maine required.
Interested persons contact:
Sharon Dezzani
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Androsocoggin Home Health Services Inc.
201 Knox Street
Rumford, Maine 04267
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SLOW MOTION: After 24 hours of basketball, these players were too drooped to dribble. But they raised about \$1,000 towards summer camp expenses.

Girl hoopsters raise \$1,000 in 24-hour marathon

By 3 p.m. Saturday, most of the 19 Telstar girl basketball players who had been raising money for summer camp probably would have told you they didn't care if they ever saw a basketball again. And no wonder. They had been playing roundball for 24 hours, beginning 3 p.m. Friday.

Although some mats had been set aside on the gym floor, and although the girls had tried to sleep during the marathon fund-raiser, very few managed it. At six in the morning, Ann Roy showed up and prepared a hot breakfast for the troops.

When the ordeal was over, the girls had raised about \$1,000 through pledges. They had also played 112 quarters of basketball. The final score was 868 for the Red team and 728 for the Blue team.

Leading scorer was Traci Higgins, of the Red team, with 290 points. She was

THIS WEEK AT THE Moses Mason House

All members and friends of the Bethel Historical Society are reminded that the monthly meeting will be Thursday evening in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House, at 7:30 p.m. The program will focus on the history of Chapman Street and will include slides of the street through the years. Longtime Chapman Street resident Donald Brown will present some of the highlights of the street's history and focus on some of the personalities who have lived there from the 1870s to the present. Refreshments will follow the program. Anyone interested is cordially invited to attend.

The latest contributors to the 1985 Endowment Campaign are Dexter and Janet Stowell, of Bethel, in memory of Ruth Carver Ames. Newest Society member is Dr. Homer Lawrence, of Concord, N.H.

The 10th in the Adams Chronicles film series will be held Wednesday, April 3, in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House. Sponsored by the Bethel Historical Society, with funding provided by the Maine Humanities Council and the National Endowment for the Humanities, the series focuses on one of America's greatest families.

This film, titled "John Quincy Adams: Congressman 1830-1848" deals with Adams' return to the farm after his defeat for re-election to the presidency. He was prepared for a retirement of writing and gardening. However, fate intervenes and Adams is elected to the House of Representatives and returns to Washington. Vignettes show Adams in his attempts to place anti-slavery petitions before Congress.

The scene shifts to the Adams home, where John Quincy hears of the Armistad incident—involving the shipboard mutiny of Negro slaves against their Spanish owners—and decides to defend the Africans when their case reaches the Supreme Court. Adams dies at the age of 80, after many successful years in Congress. The series is open to everyone, at no charge. The film on April 10 will be "Charles Francis Adams: Minister to Great Britain 1861-1864."

WEST BETHEL CHILDREN'S CENTER
Menu for week of April 8-12: Monday: Breakfast—orange juice, banana, Cheer; Lunch—homemade vegetable soup, egg salad sandwich, mixed fresh fruit; Tuesday: Breakfast—grape juice, blueberry pancakes; Lunch—corn chowder, bologna sandwich, apples, raw vegetables. Wednesday: Breakfast—apple juice, hot Maltex cereal; Lunch—stroganoff, noodles, broccoli, oranges. Thursday: Breakfast—bran muffin, mixed fruit; Lunch—fish sticks, mashed potatoes, green beans, apples. Friday: Breakfast—mixed juice, boiled egg, whole wheat toast; Lunch—American chop suey, cauliflower, biscuits, banana.

On Saturday, March 30, Chris Chapman and Chris Hanscom attended a pre-jamboree session at Camp Hinds in Raymond, in preparation for the National Jamboree.

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SAMPLING THE POTLUCK: SAD 44 honored its school volunteers with a potluck supper at Crescent Park School last Thursday night.

ALLAN C. RING

Allan C. Ring of Hooksett, N.H., formerly of Locke Mills, died Friday, March 29, 1985, at Salisbury, N.H.

He was born at Rumford on Dec. 25, 1943, son of Keith and Margaret Long Ring. He was a graduate of Gould Academy. Following graduation, he worked at the Earth Satellite Station in Andover, then attended the University of Maine at Orono. He was employed by AT&T in Chesterfield, Mass., before being transferred to Manchester, N.H., where he was employed at the time of his death.

He is survived by a son, Jeffrey, of Amherst, Mass.; two daughters, Natalie and Rhonda, both of Amherst, Mass.; his parents of Locke Mills; two brothers, Kenneth of Manassas, Va., and Herbert of Farmington; one sister, Meredith Ring, of Boone, N.C.; and two nephews.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Locke Mills Union Church. Spring interment will be at the Riverside Cemetery, Bethel.

Donations in Mr. Ring's memory may be made to the Locke Mills Union Church, c/o Margery Swan, Treasurer, Locke Mills, Maine 04255.

MRS. OLIVE R. SEARLES

Mrs. Olive R. Searles of West Paris died early Saturday morning, March 30, 1985, at the Ledgewood Memorial Home, West Paris, where she had been a patient since 1971.

She was born in West Paris on Aug. 21, 1900, the daughter of James William and Addie Etta Buck Lapham. She attended West Paris schools and married Albert R. Searles in 1940. He died May 7, 1973. She worked for the Portland Shoe Store for 12 years and at the Portland Shipyard Cafeteria for five years. Mrs. Searles was a member of the Granite Chapter OES of West Paris, the Mt. Pleasant Rebekah Lodge, the Jackson-Silver American Legion Auxiliary of Locke Mills and a life member of the West Paris Grange.

Survivors include several cousins. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Andrews Funeral Home, South Woodstock. Interment later in the spring in the Lower Corner Cemetery, New Gloucester.

EBS/CPS PRINCIPAL ATTENDS PORTLAND SESSIONS

Mrs. Nancy Davis, Principal of the Ethel Bisbee and Crescent Park Schools in Bethel, is spending April 1-3 in Portland, pursuing professional growth through participation in the National Assessment Center. Sponsored by the National Association of Secondary School Principals, assessment centers all over the country provide school administrators with several intensive days of activities designed to assess their leadership skills. In December, 1983, Mrs. Davis was chosen to be a member of the Maine Center assessment staff and attended a five-day training session. This week she will be serving as an assessor on the state-wide team.

JONATHAN L. CROCKETT

Jonathan L. Crockett of East Bethel died Monday, April 1, 1985, at the Ledgewood Memorial Home, West Paris, after a year of nursing home care.

He was born at Woodstock, March 11, 1914, son of Charles W. and Mary Leonard Crockett. He attended Woodstock schools and married Nannette Alice Foster in 1937. Mrs. Crockett died Jan. 6, 1975. Mr. Crockett worked in several area woodturning mills and retired from Boise Cascade in Rumford in 1971, after working there for 15 years. He was a former member of the Knights of Pythias and the International Brotherhood of Paperworkers.

He is survived by five sons, Howard A., Robert D., George, Kenneth and Gordon, all of East Bethel; four daughters, Mrs. Charlotte Kimball, Miss Esther Crockett, Mrs. Grace Gibson, and Miss Jacqueline Crockett, all of East Bethel; a brother, Arthur, of Locke Mills; three sisters, Ruth Tibbets of West Peru, Georgia Herrick of Mechanic Falls, and Helen Farrar of Bethel, 13 grandchildren, two step-grandchildren. A son, Theodore, died in 1973.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. from the Andrews Funeral Home, South Woodstock, with interment later in the spring at East Bethel Cemetery.

VOLLEYBALL RESULTS

The SAD 44 Adult and Community Education program's Adult Co-ed Volleyball League completed its third week of regular season play March 27, with Danny Wheeler's team taking sole possession of first place, with a 9-3 record. In second place was Dale Buck's team, at 7-5.

Tom Barton's team and the the Fruit Loops, Bob Buker's team, are tied at 6-6. The Fall Guys, Ernie Waterhouse's team, climbed out of the cellar to claim fifth place, at 5-7, leaving The Primo Team, captained by Rhonda Buker, and Rob Gundersen's team tied for last at 4-8.

The volleyball league plays on Wednesday evenings at 7 in the Telstar gym. Spectators are welcome.

BORN

In Norway, March 23, to Glen and Yvonne Newell of Locke Mills, a daughter, Lucy J. Mae.

MARRIED

In Andover, March 23, by Rev. Marjorie Churchill, Donna Martin and James Bernard.

In Norway, March 23, by Rev. George Pruitt, Lee M. Johanson of Norway, and Alvin L. Barth Jr. of Bethel.

DIED

In West Paris, March 30, Mrs. Olive Searles, aged 84 years.

In Salisbury, Mass., March 29, Allan C. Ring of Hooksett, N.H., formerly of Locke Mills, aged 41 years.

In West Paris, April 1, Jonathan L. Crockett of East Bethel, aged 71 years.

B.E.A.R.S.

Bethel Emergency Ambulance and Rescue Service

The regular meeting of the BEARS will be held on Sunday night, April 21, at seven o'clock at the SAD 44 bus garage.

Safety Tip

If you live in an area where it is muddy be careful where you let little play as they can get stuck in the mud.

METHODIST SERVICES IN SOUTH WATERFORD AND BOLSTER'S MILLS

Holy Thursday will be remembered by a Candlelight Communion at the United Methodist Church in Bolster's Mills on April 4, at 7:30 p.m.

At 5:30 a.m. on Easter Sunday, the congregations of the Bolster's Mills and South Waterford United Methodist Churches invite all community members and friends to a Sunrise Service, Rev. David W. Helms, Pastor, officiating. The year the service will be held on Blaguard Hill, off Sweden Road in South Waterford by Kimball's Furs. Signs will be posted. An Easter Breakfast will be served at 6:30 a.m. in the Bear Mountain Grange Hall, South Waterford.

Easter Worship will be conducted at 9:30 a.m. in South Waterford and at 11 a.m. in Bolster's Mills. Rev. Helms will offer the meditation, "He Appeared Even Unto Me."

W. BETHEL UNION CHURCH MEETS

The annual meeting of the West Bethel Union Church will be held at the church on Thursday evening, April 11, at 7 p.m.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank the following for helping me with the car wash to raise money for my Eagle Scout project, which is an Easter Dinner for the Bethel Senior Citizens: Al and Rose Sumner, Donny Katlin, Rodney and Christine Hanscom, all the Scouts who worked so hard, and the customers who made it possible.

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Barth - Johanson

Lee M. Johanson of Paris, and Alvin L. Barth Jr. of Bethel were united in marriage on Saturday, March 23, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland M. Sutton Jr. on Crockett Ridge Road, Norway.

Mrs. Sutton is the groom's sister. March Johanson, Kearsage, N.H., daughter of the bride was the maid of honor and best man was Karl Barth, Troy, N.Y., son of the groom. Todd Johanson, North Conway, N.H., and Bruce Barth, Bethel, were ushers. Officiating at the service was the Reverend George Pruitt of Christ Episcopal Church in Norway and a reception was held at the Suttons' after the wedding.

Mrs. Barth is a graduate of Beaver College and is the principal and a fourth grade teacher at the Waterford Primary School. Mr. Barth graduated from Penn State and Colby College and is the Director of Alumni Affairs at Gould Academy.

After the wedding the couple spent two days in Camden, before returning to Bethel where they will reside.

Bernard - Martin

Donna Martin and James Bernard were united in marriage at their new home in Andover On Saturday, March 23. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Marjorie Churchill of Andover. Attending the couple were Mrs. Martin's daughters, Julie, Jeri and Jenny Martin and Jackie Thurston, and Mr. Bernard's daughters, Michele Bernard and Lisa Litalien. Following the ceremony, a reception was held at their home.

Donna is formerly of Bryant Pond and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith of East Bethel and she is employed by Tri-County Mental Services in Rumford.

James is formerly of Rumford and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dona Bernard of Rumford and he is employed by Boise Cascade in Rumford.

Relatives attending the wedding were from Farmington, Orono, Bangor, Otisfield, Bath, West Paris, Bethel, and Rumford.

Community Calendar

Thursday, April 4: Bethel Historical Society, Moses Mason House, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, April 5: Mount Abram Lodge No. 31, IOOF, 7:30 p.m.

Monday, April 8: SAD 44 Board of Directors, 7:30 p.m., Telstar Library.

Tuesday, April 9: Rotary Club, 12 noon, Sudbury Inn; American Legion, social hour, 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, April 11: Presentation by the Bennington Puppets, "The Ring of the Nibelung," Gould Academy, Bingham Auditorium, 7:30 p.m. Free admission.

Ginger Kelly, of Maine Street Realty, in Bethel, is the volunteer coordinator for the Community Calendar and will accept items to be listed by mail, phone (824-2114) or in person at her office in the Cole Block, Main Street, Bethel.

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BOILING THE SAP: Bill Gibson, owner of Stearns Hill Farm in West Paris, feeds wood to his evaporator while visitors look on with interest.

TRI-TOWN RESCUE

Tri-Town is celebrating its fourth birthday this week. And it has a lot to celebrate, thanks to the dedication of its members in all branches and the support of the communities.

Tri-Town is planning its annual every canvass April 13-27. A Tri-Town member will come to your home with a 1985 newsletter. Please consider the ambulance service seriously when a member comes to your home asking for a donation. It is through the continued support of the community that Tri-Town continues to offer quality service to the communities.

The auxiliary celebrated Ruth Scribner's birthday Monday night at its auxiliary meeting.

Tri-Town Search and Rescue went to the Mt. Tom Snowmobile Club in Sumner Tuesday night to describe the activities of the group. Anyone wanting more information on Search and Rescue should contact Dorene Benson (674-2346).

Safety Tip of the Week: One year ago this area had heavy flooding from the spring rains. This year might bring similar conditions.

Just a couple of precautions might go a long way later on.

1. If water is over the road, don't immediately try to drive through. Often the swift current washes away the road.

2. If the car stalls while trying to cross a road covered with water, don't try to get the car to try to get to safety. The combination of swift current and very cold temperatures make survival difficult. Wait for someone to come with assistance.

3. If the car drives through a small amount of water over the road, take a few moments to dry the brakes out when on the other side. Stepping on the brakes a couple of times will insure that the brakes are there when you need them later.

4. Most important in any emergency. Don't panic. A calm attitude goes a long way to think through all the alternatives.

PRE-SCHOOL REGISTRATION FOR SAD 44 NEXT WEEK

Dates and locations for pre-school registration in SAD 44 are as follows:

Monday and Tuesday, April 8 & 9: Bethel area students will register at the American Legion Hall on Vernon Street.

Wednesday, April 10: Andover students will register at the Andover Elementary School.

Friday, April 12: Woodstock area students will register at the Woodstock Elementary School.

Parents are reminded to bring not only the child who is to be registered, but a copy of the child's birth certificate, which SAD 44 can keep, immunization records (from a clinic, doctor or nurse), and completed registration forms as well.

Any parent who has not yet received pre-school registration forms in the mail and who has a child who will be five years of age on or before Oct. 15, 1985, should call Mrs. Marjorie Bartlett, District Nurse, at 824-2138 for registration forms and an appointment time and date.

Opportunities for Pre-School Children will be available to screen three and four year olds not entering school at the following sites and times:

American Legion Hall, Vernon Street in Bethel, Monday and Tuesday, April 8 and 9, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Andover Elementary School, Wednesday, April 10, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

This screening includes vision, hearing, speech, motor, and general knowledge assessments. It is free. If you have a child in this age group, please feel free to bring him/her along. Woodstock area children may attend any of the above screenings or call Sue Ellen Myers at 743-9701 for an individual appointment.

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